



'The Pleasure's All Mine...'

"Parting Is Such Sweet Sorrow" might be the theme of today's exodus from classrooms as Victoria's schools settle into peace and quiet for the summer respite from pencils, books, and dirty looks. Mrs. Margaret Martin of Lampson Street School shows no regret as she looks forward to more than two

months minus reading, writing, and rambunctious rascals. The rascals aren't shedding tears, either. But mothers throughout the city began marking days off the calendar, waiting for the magic date—Sept. 7—when school starts once more. (Times photo by Bill Halkett.)

Speedy Cease-Fire Promised by Reds

Mendes-France Reports to Assembly
On Indo-China Talks With Chou En-Lai

PARIS (UP)—French Premier Pierre Mendes-France told the National Assembly today that Red China's Premier Chou En-Lai has promised a military settlement—the long-awaited cease-fire—in Indo-China as speedily as possible.

Mendes-France, who promised the nation peace in Indo-China by July 20 or his own resignation, won a thumping 433 to 23 vote of confidence from the assembly on the steps taken so far to make good his pledge.

The vote was taken on his request to postpone indefinitely questions on the composition of his cabinet to leave him free to concentrate on his end-the-war efforts.

The vote was 14-votes greater than he won on June 18 when he was approved by the assembly as the new leader of the French government.

Mendes-France reported on his meeting Wednesday in Bern, Switzerland, with the Communist premier and foreign minister.

"During the talks," he said, "we agreed to realize as rapidly as possible a settlement of the military problems."

Until now, the Communist bloc in the Geneva Far Eastern conference had insisted on discussion of political matters, such as elections, before or at least simultaneously with a military cease-fire.

But the "do-it-now" premier assured the assembly that he

will not engage in "planetary" horse-trading—scuttling the European army plan to get an Indo-China peace.

"Mr. Bidault (foreign minister of the previous government) refused to practice this policy," Mendes-France said. "So why would you think I intend such a policy now?"

He also told the assembly that:

1. "Everyone" now agrees that Laos and Cambodia, the two smaller of Indo-China's three associated states, shall be independent.

2. His talks with Chou revealed the Chinese Communists recognize France's permanent position in the Far East.

3. He hopes to meet Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov next time the Russian is in Geneva.

4. Other meetings are intended with Chou. (Unconfirmed French press reports said this may be before July 12.)

Any such meeting would have to take place before July 20, since that is the date by which French Premier and Foreign Minister Pierre Mendes-France has said he will win a cease-fire or resign.

U.S. Would Erect Defense Line

WASHINGTON (UP)—The administration's most optimistic hope in southeast Asia now

is to build a "defense line" which will deny the Communists at least part of embattled Indo-China; several key senators disclosed today.

They said privately that the administration has made it clear it is now resigned to the loss of most, if not all, of Viet Nam. It only hopes neighboring Laos and Cambodia can be held.

If this becomes possible as a result of the French-Communist peace talks, the senators said the administration hopes to erect its allied defense line around them and boldly challenge any new Communist expansion in the area.

Sen. Walter F. George (D., Ga.), who attended a secret White House briefing on the Far East crisis Wednesday, said today that administration leaders left the impression they are hopeful a partition can be worked out with the Communists.



Abbott's Successor?

Canada's next minister of finance is expected to be Hon. Walter Harris, present minister of citizenship and immigration, according to a dispatch received today from Victor Mackie, Times Ottawa correspondent. Sources close to the government say Prime Minister St. Laurent has settled on Mr. Harris as successor to Hon. Douglas Abbott. St. Laurent has already made it known he plans a major shuffle of portfolios this summer.

\$31.8 Million Decline in Farm Income

OTTAWA (CP)—Wheat farmers were hit the hardest as farm cash income for all Canada dropped by \$31,800,000 in the first three months of 1954.

The bureau of statistics today estimated the first quarter income at \$504,311,000, down \$31,800,000 from the 1953 first quarter of \$536,150,000 and a drop of \$51,400,000 from the 1952 peak of \$555,700,000.

SIX PROVINCES

Six provinces—the Prairie, Ontario and the Maritimes—felt the decline, but by far the biggest drop was in Saskatchewan, heart of Canada's wheat belt, the bureau said.

Wheat was the big cause of the decline. Smaller deliveries by farmers because of congested storage, smaller marketings and lower prices cut farmers' cash income from the sale of wheat to \$49,700,000—less than half the \$112,800,000 received in the first quarter last year.

'Timing' Breaks Down Disarmament Talks

5-Power Parley on Prohibition of Atomic Weapons Reported Wrecked Over Methods

LONDON (Reuters)—The recent five-power disarmament talks in London broke down on a clash of views between East and West on the timing of proposed prohibition of atomic weapons, according to conference documents made public today.

The United States, Britain, Canada, France and the Soviet Union attended the conference, which ended Tuesday after five futile weeks.

The Western powers rejected a basic Soviet plan for the prohibition of "atomic, hydrogen and other weapons of mass destruction" to take effect simultaneously with the setting up of an international control system, the documents on the hitherto secret talks revealed.

FOR PEACEFUL USE

Russia rejected an Anglo-French plan for the introduction of total prohibition of atomic weapons by stages. Each stage, from cessation of expenditure on atomic weapons to cessation of production and conversion of stocks to peaceful use, would depend on actual steps taken to limit conventional types of armaments.

In the Anglo-French plan stages in the prohibition of atomic weapons would also depend on firm progress being made in the functioning of the control organ which would enforce a general disarmament treaty.

A U.S. plan proposing that future disarmament and atomic development authority was also considered.

THREE OBJECTIVES

The Anglo-French plan, proposed as a compromise between the previous Soviet and Western positions and backed by the U.S. and Canada, had three objectives.

1. Eventual total prohibition of the manufacture and use of all atomic, chemical and bacteriological weapons of mass destruction, and, where pos-

Canadians Defeated

WIMBLEDON, Eng. (AP)—Bob Bedard of Sherbrooke, Que., carried Australian star Lewis Hoad to four sets today before losing 6-3, 6-0, 1-6, 6-1 in the third round men's singles of the Wimbledon tennis championships.

Ken Rosewall of Australia joined Hoad in the fourth round with a 6-2, 4-6, 6-1, 6-4 victory over Bob Falenkenberg, an American now living in Brazil.

Gil Shea of Presidio, Calif., eliminated Canada's Lorne Main, 6-1, 7-5, 5-7, 1-6, 6-1.

Striking City Men Make New Proposal

TAKE SCOTCH ALONG FOR VISIT TO VENUS

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP)—If and when any space navigators ever reach the planet Venus, they'd better be equipped with rowboats—because two Harvard astronomers today offered a new theory that "an ocean of water completely covers the planet."

But take heart, you would-be space men. The astronomers said it may be an ocean of "carbonated" water—not too bad for a sociable scotch and soda as you pull on the oars.

"Because of the large amount of carbon dioxide in the Venusian atmosphere the ocean would probably consist of seltzer water, although I daresay it would be rather flat," Dr. Donald Menzel smilingly told a reporter.

Sir Winston, Eden Off to Washington

Conservatives and Opposition Back Couple As They Leave for Important U.S. Talks

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill and Foreign Minister Anthony Eden left for Washington in the stratosphere "Canopus" at 6:52 p.m. (11:52 p.m., PDT) today to meet President Eisenhower and try to resolve British-American differences in world affairs.

By ALAN HARVEY

LONDON (CP)—The House of Commons has given Prime Minister Churchill and Foreign Secretary Eden a firm mandate for their important week-end talks in Washington.

Churchill and Eden, scheduled to leave for Washington tonight, both place great emphasis on what parliamentarians call the "feeling of the House." Wednesday night, in a Commons debate on Southeast Asia, there was no doubt what that feeling was.

Leaders of all parties warmly applauded Eden's exposition of Britain's policy. Labor leader Clement Attlee and Liberal leader Clement Davies in effect said amen to the underlying theme of Eden's remarks—that the United States could make things easier by relaxing its present attitude toward Communist China.

Eden's speech was devoted to outlining the progress made at the Geneva conference on Korea and Indo-China. His chief new proposal was that in addition to a NATO-type organization for Southeast Asia there might also be a kind of Locarno pact for the area.

NO REAL PROGRESS

On Korea, Eden said "reluctantly" that no real progress had been made at Geneva toward bridging the gap between the contending sides.

On Indo-China, there still seemed a "chance" of agreement. He called the proposed Southeast Asia pact a future safeguard rather than a present panacea, thus again underlining the difference of approach between the U.S. and Britain on ways of meeting Communist infiltration in Asia.

"It should be clear to all," the foreign secretary said, "that the hopes of agreement will be jeopardized if active military operations in Indo-China were to be intensified while negotiations for an armistice are proceeding at Geneva."

EXPRESSED HOPE

Eden referred to the absence of normal diplomatic relations at Geneva, something which he said was unique in his experience.

This was obviously a reference to the lack of contact between the Chinese and U.S. delegations at Geneva.

Eden acted as a kind of liaison man at Geneva. A Canadian delegate called him the "indispensable man" of the conference.

Newspapers of all political complexions today expressed hope that the Washington trip will smooth over differences and bring new accords with the U.S.

"The politicians on both sides of the Atlantic who believe that the alliance is expendable fly in the face of all the facts," declared The Times.

Lord Beaverbrook's Daily Express, which usually supports the Conservative government, noted that Eden Wednesday did not once mention the name of State Secretary Dulles of the U.S. during his speech.

Workers Lower Sights; Settlement May Follow

By DAVE STOCK, City Hall Reporter

The first major break in the city outside-workers' strike came today, and there was hope for a quick settlement.

Outside workers offered new terms for settlement.

They called for a 3-cent-an-hour general increase, service pay for those with long service with the city and half MSA coverage.

The 3-cent general raise is 2 cents less than the city offered the men just over a week ago when negotiations broke down. The city's final offer was 5 cents; the union asked for 7.

Request for service pay is entirely new angle, however, and it was understood City Manager Cecil Wyatt and City Comptroller Dennis Young were working out figures this afternoon to see just how much this would cost each year.

Both police and firemen have received service pay for some time, and inside workers will be entitled to 5 cents a day for every five years service under terms of their new contract which has just been negotiated.

VOTED UPON

The union forwarded its new proposal to the city shortly before noon. The membership voted on the proposal at a meeting Wednesday night.

Ray Wootton, union business agent, carried the proposal to the city. He met with City Manager Wyatt, Ald. William Pinfold and Ald. Arthur Dowell for about an hour.

NO DISCUSSION

None of those taking part would discuss what transpired except that Ald. Pinfold said the city comptroller was "working out figures" which he indicated, would be submitted to city council at a meeting this afternoon.

The council meeting was set to begin at 2.

Today marked the beginning of the second week of the strike by the city's 250 outside workers. It has been estimated that the strike has cost the workmen and saved the city \$21,000 since it began Thursday of last week.

Ike to Run Again Says GOP Official

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP)—Leonard Hall, Republican national committee chairman, said at a press conference Wednesday President Eisenhower "absolutely" will be a candidate for re-election in 1956.



Death Ends Era

B.C.'s great old-time Conservative, R. Harry Pooley, died Wednesday night, aged 75. Esquimalt-born, he was Esquimalt MLA for 25 years and a former attorney-general. (See story, page 3).

Flood Threat Endangers Brandon Area

WINNIPEG (CP)—The flood threat in Manitoba became more serious today with an announcement by Premier D. L. Campbell that the water level at Brandon is expected to rise another five feet before the end of the month.

"High flood crests on the upper Assiniboine River have now moved well into Manitoba," the premier said. He added that the river now appears to have passed its peak at Roblin, and has now reached high stages at Millwood and St. Lazare, points approximately 100 miles north of Brandon.

Dikes at Brandon are still holding, but an evacuation order to residents of low-lying areas of the city is expected shortly.

WIRE BRIEFS

Crop Duster Killed

LETHBRIDGE (CP)—Pilot Jack Allen, 24, operator of Alen Air Services at Medicine Hat, was instantly killed today when his plane struck a wind-charger while he was crop-dusting on a farm near Winnipeg, Alta., about 60 miles east of here.

Terry Remanded

VANCOUVER (CP)—Cecil Terry, 41, was remanded to July 2 when he appeared in police court today charged with murder in connection with the hammer-slaying of his wife.

Crop Support Backed

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Senate agriculture committee today rejected the Eisenhower administration's flexible price support program, voting 8 to 7 to extend rigid supports for another year.

Laughs Will Pep Up Your VACATION



Egad! Major Amos B. Hoople suggests a jolly Canterbury gallop over hill and dale while you are riding high during your vacation. And we suggest you have the Times mailed to you while you're away so you can keep in touch with all the comics. Phone 2-3131.

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Both sides in the Guatemala revolution say they want to avoid bloodshed, but they don't say whose.

Hope that Swiss meeting between the French and Chinese premiers won't turn out to be a Dern Bern Phu like the Dien Bien one.

Pears there's a breath of fresh air in the garbage strike.

'Mystery Girl' Linked With Young Heir's Death

CHICAGO (UP)—A lipstick-smeared facial tissue raised speculation today that a "mystery girl" may have fled from the room as mail order heir Montgomery Ward Thorne lay dying.

The tissue was found on a dresser in the \$75-a-month studio apartment where young Thorne died under mysterious circumstances last Saturday.

It carried the bright red imprint of a girl's pursed lips.

Thorne's landlord, Benjamin Bromberg, said the tissue must have been placed on the dresser late Friday or early Saturday. Otherwise, he said, a cleaning woman would have found it.

A dark bobby pin, of the type used by brunettes, was also discovered near the tissue. The tissue was turned over to police technicians for examination.

The revelation led to speculation that Thorne may have had a tryst with a young woman who was possibly the last person to see him alive.

Meanwhile, Thorne's mother and fiancée opened a legal battle over his \$1,300,000 fortune.

The weapons in the court fight were two wills filed within an hour of each other in probate court yesterday.

One, drafted only 10 days before the young heir's death, left half his legacy to his pretty blonde fiancée, 18-year-old Maureen Ragen. The will left a quarter share to Miss Ragen's mother, an eighth to his own mother and an eighth to an aunt.

The other will, signed by Thorne when he was 18 years old, gave his entire estate to his socialite mother, Mrs. Gordon Thorne.

Attorneys for the mother said they would contest the changed will. They would charge "undue influence" and perhaps other factors, they said.

Thorne's lawyer, Jay Stough, has said the young heir feared he wouldn't reach his 21st birthday when he ordered his will changed. Thorne asked that a thorough investigation be launched if he died, the lawyer said.

JUST for the RECORD

PROGRESS—Now we have extendable table cloths. You simply zip on another panel to the cloth.

This innovation is one of many new and unusual items on display at the summer home furnishings market in Chicago.

Another is the "magic Aladdin" lamp. It has no external switch. You turn it on or off by touching anywhere on the lamp. An electronic device built into the ceramic base does the rest.

A table with a reversible plastic top enables the housewife to change her color scheme with a flip of the wrist. It has a top white on one side and a choice of colors on the other.

SOLUTION—In New York sometimes the fur flies between husband and wife concerning whether they should buy a new car or get a mink for mama.

A Bronx auto agency claims it has solved this problem thus: Buy a new car and get mink stole valued at \$786.

Martin W. Franklin, agency sales manager, Wednesday said the offer is effective until July 4.

How's it going? Three stoles have gone out with cars, Franklin said, and there have been two dozen telephone calls seeking further information.

YIPES: In Shawnee, Okla., Howard Jacobus of Seminole, Okla., says he knows what it's like to have "the world drop in on you."

Jacobus landed his private plane at the municipal airport yesterday, and moments later a second plane landed on top of him.

"I heard a big noise, and if you ever had the world drop in on you, you know how I felt," he said. He was unhurt.

PAGING HOPALONG: In Los Angeles Lloyd Harry Thomas, 41, is going to leave gun twirling to "them fellers" in the movies.

As Thomas twirled a .38 calibre revolver western-style it slipped from his hand, fell to the floor and fired a spray of bullets that wounded him in both legs.

HOSTAGE: In Dallas, Tex., Mrs. Lucille Price stood guard over an auto chained to a tree in her yard today and declared: "That's where it's going to stay until I'm paid."

The auto careened off a bridge and knocked Mrs. Price's screened porch from its foundation Tuesday night. The occupants fled.

GUNNERS OUT TONIGHT FOR SUNSET RITE

Tonight at 8.30 personnel of the 75th (B.C.) HAA Regt., RCA, the 5th (B.C.) Coast Regt., RCA, and the 8th AAR will parade at the Legislative Buildings for retreat and flag lowering sunset ceremonies.

In command will be 2nd Lieut. Ken Larson of the 75th Regt. The regimental band under direction of WO Alex Hill will attend. Color sergeant will be Sgt. J. Hill.

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COL. ARMAS

... just another comic opera revolt?

Guatemala Revolution Seen 'Petering Out'

Lack of Organization, Transport, Interest Blamed for Rebels' Lacklustre Performance

By PHIL NEWSOM
United Press Foreign News Editor

A revolution aimed at throwing out the Red-tainted regime of Guatemalan President Jacobo Arbenz Guzman seems to be petering out today for lack of organization, transport and interest.

In fact, if it were not for the Communist issue involved, the whole affair might now be written off as just another comic-opera revolt in which no one got hurt and nothing happened.

The "liberation" move, led by Col. Castillo Armas, got under way last Friday across the Honduran border and by Saturday had reached full fanfare.

Rebel airplanes flew over Guatemala City and dropped high explosives whose effect was questionable.

Description of the planes varied. The Guatemalan government labelled them P-47s, which would make them Second World War Thunderbolts.

Observers said they were light Cessnas and Piper Cubs.

Official Guatemalan communiques told of fierce fighting in which the rebels were thrown back with heavy casualties.

On Tuesday, U.S. State Department spokesman Lincoln White said in Washington that he had no report from U.S. diplomats in Central America that a single life has yet been lost in the Guatemalan revolt.

Guatemala City, he said, was quiet.

This week, for the first time, United States correspondents

most of whom have covered wars, reached Castillo's "capital" at Equipulus.

They found the former chief of the Guatemalan air force hopeful but admittedly bogged down in mud, lack of organization and transportation.

UNTRAINED FARM BOYS

Castillo's army which had been billed at 5,000 men seemed to have lots of officers and a plentitude of "sergeants." A colonel there said he commanded 1,500 men.

But the troops seemed to be mostly untrained farm boys, dressed just as they were when they left the plantations and fields and wholly unfamiliar with the German rifles and machine guns with which they were armed.

What they will do under their first gunfire is problematical.

The rebels apparently have two immediate and important objectives:

One is the capture of Puerto Barrios which they must have both for military and prestige reasons.

United Press correspondent Francis McCarthy summed it up from Tegucigalpa in neighboring Honduras.

"The revolution is bogged down," he said, "and time is on the side of the government."

TWO ISLANDS

Grand Manan Island, New Brunswick, off Passamaquoddy Bay, is so called to distinguish it from Little Manan off the coast of Maine.

15 Playgrounds Enroll July 12 In Saanich Area

Braefoot Park Plans Gala Day

Registration at all 15 of Saanich's supervised playgrounds will take place July 12, for the six-week summer program.

Publicity chairman Wally Gray is asking that parents accompany children on registration day to insure that forms are properly completed.

Braefoot Park is planning a "gala day" grand opening Saturday, July 10, when games, prizes and refreshments will be provided. As at other parks, registration will be July 12.

Volunteer workers at Hampton Park will complete the picnic shelter half finished last week in a neighborhood work bee. Parents and teen-agers will meet Sunday to add to the wood and concrete structure.

An addition to the present building at Qu'Appelle Park is also being constructed by volunteer workers to provide toilet facilities there.

At Meadow Park, land leveling has been completed preparatory to laying blacktop on the play area.

Canadian Postal Employees, (inside workers) have erected a new fence at the Oak Street playground as a volunteer service.

Saanich municipal council provides each park with \$210 for permanent improvements. All work, apart from plumbing and wiring, is done by volunteers, who also supervise children during the summer schedule.

A sports playoff with all playgrounds participating is planned for later in the season, and Saanich police and fire departments will demonstrate equipment on playgrounds at least once this summer.

All Bonds Sold in Day

TORONTO (CP)—Metropolitan Toronto's first debenture issue has been sold in one day.

G. A. Lascelles, commissioner of finance, said a total of \$30,235,000 of debentures was offered Tuesday through a large syndicate of investment dealers and banks.

HISTORIC POST

A trading post was established before 1670 at Godbout on the St. Lawrence, 225 miles below Quebec.

BIG DES MOINES CREST RACES THROUGH CITY

DES MOINES, Ia. (AP)—The raging Des Moines River roared through this city today at a record crest of just over 30 feet—13 feet higher than its normal flow. But flood defense officials crossed their fingers and said "we think we've got it whipped."

A three-day battle, first to raise the levees and then to hold them against the pounding waters, was in its climactic hours. All major dikes were holding. No lives had been lost. The crest was 3 1/2 feet higher than the official peak reached in the 1947 Des Moines flood, when a major levee gave way and flooded a riverside residential area.

Traffic Jam at First Narrows Delays CPR Ferry, Freighters

VANCOUVER (CP)—A major traffic jam occurred at the First Narrows entrance to Vancouver harbor today, delaying the Princess Elaine's departure for Nanaimo by half an hour and forcing an incoming deep-sea freighter to make a wide turn around English Bay.

The jam occurred when three log booms were being towed through the Narrows beneath Lions Gate bridge during the change of tides at 7.30 a.m. Two tugs, the H and R and the Point Grey Bell, were handling the first tow. The Kathy Kay and the Rodney were on the second, but only the Sea Roll was on the third.

The swift-flowing waters swung the third boom across the full width of the channel and the Rodney had to go back and help straighten it out.

At this moment, the CPR's Princess Elaine was outbound and received a radio message from the Lions Gate signal tower that the Narrows were temporarily blocked. Engines were reversed and the ship churned up harbor waters just east of the bridge before it finally came to a stop and backed away.

Meanwhile, the freighter Charles E. Kant was approaching from well out in the opposite direction and made a swing around English Bay before proceeding into the harbor. The Elaine cleared the Narrows for Nanaimo shortly before 8 a.m.

Research Rubber Centre Planned

TORONTO (CP)—The formation of a North American research centre by the Dunlop Rubber Co., England, was announced here Tuesday by James P. Anderson, president and general manager of Dunlop Tire and Rubber Goods Company.

Much of the centre's activity will be concerned with products of the petrochemical and synthetic rubber industries, he said. The centre will also conduct research related to mining, road and vehicle engineering, textiles, plastics, and compounding chemicals to prolong the life of tires and other rubber products.

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Harry Pooley Dead, Famed Conservative

He Was Esquimalt MLA for 25 Years, Former B.C. A-G, Private Rites Friday

Esquimalt-born Robert Henry "Harry" Pooley, a staunch Conservative and one of the last of British Columbia's old-time politicians, died Wednesday evening in St. Joseph's Hospital. He was 75.

Mr. Pooley was Esquimalt's MLA for a quarter of a century. He entered the Legislature in 1912 and served until 1937.

He was for four years leader of the opposition, and when the Tolmie government took over in 1928 he became attorney-general, a post he held for five years.

During that time he was regarded as one of the most able debaters in the House. "Fiery" was the word most used to describe Harry Pooley in debate.

When he declined to run for public office in 1937, Mr. Pooley declared he was through with politics.

"When I quit, I quit, for good and all," he maintained. But Harry Pooley never did. At almost every election since, Mr. Pooley was somewhere in the picture.

"POLITICAL FIRE HORSE"

Close friends likened him to "an old fire horse who just couldn't stand idly by when the fire bell sounded." Mr. Pooley considered it a fair description. He acknowledged that he enjoyed campaigning.

In 1951, at an Esquimalt meeting, he called the then Liberal premier, T. D. Pattullo, "a damned liar" and said he should get "a good swift kick in the pants."

In 1953, when Esquimalt Conservatives were growing tired of Coalition, Conservative Leader Herbert Anscomb asked Mr. Pooley to keep the Esquimalt group in Coalition. Mr. Pooley subsequently went to an election meeting, announced he was not taking orders from Mr. Anscomb and called the Coalition candidate, Percy George, "a carpet bagger."

NATIVE OF ESQUIMALT

Born in Esquimalt September 19, 1878, Mr. Pooley carried on in politics where his father left off. The father, Charles Edward Pooley, was at one time Speaker of the B.C. Legislature.

The son was educated in private schools in Victoria and then sent to Bradford College, Berkshire, England, to complete his formal studies. He graduated in 1896 and was then articled to his father's law firm, being admitted to the bar in 1901. The business became known as Pooley, Luxton & Pooley.

In 1904, Mr. Pooley married Laura Loewen, daughter of the founder of Victoria Phoenix Brewery. She died in 1921. He married again in 1926 to Mary Louise Tillingshaw, of Providence, Rhode Island.

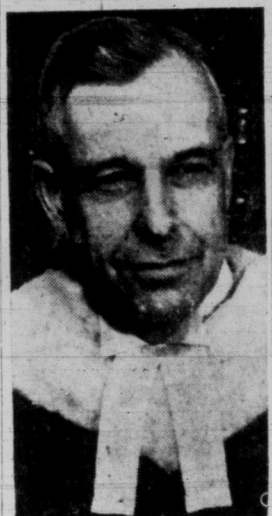
A keen sportsman, Mr. Pooley was particularly fond of cricket, tennis and golf. He was an early-day motorist enthusiast as well.

As a young man, he belonged to the 5th Regiment and held the rank of lieutenant. In later years, his garden was his primary hobby.

Besides his wife, at the family home, 1182 Old Esquimalt Road, he is survived by his daughters, Mrs. R. H. Tyne and Mrs. D. W. Groos, both of

Victoria; three sisters, Alice Pooley, of Victoria; Mrs. S. C. Sweeney, of Vancouver, and Lady Stanley of London, Eng., and seven grandchildren.

A private funeral service will be held at the family home on Friday. Cremation will follow.



SUPREME COURT CHOICE?

Mr. Justice Roy L. Kellock, 60, is considered likely to be the government's choice as a successor to Chief Justice Thibault. Mr. Justice Kellock gained fame as a royal commissioner investigating the Soviet spy ring in 1945, the Halifax VE day riot in 1945, the 1949 Noronic ship disaster and the 1950 rail strike. He is a native of Perth, Ont. (CP Photo).

Vancouver Entries

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Penny Pebble (Stanton) 116
Contagious (Boy L. Pong) 115
Irish Mule (C. Ulrich) 114
Sir Achill (Arterburn) 113
Royal Falcon (B. Blair) 112
Boo Pat (J. Stewart) 111
Flood Man (Stewart) 110
Mahl Muhl (J. Schmidt) 109
Yves (Simmons) 108
Also eligible:
Pleur D'Alone (Russell) 115
Flood Man (Stewart) 110
Mr. Tossaham (Richardson) 109
Black Deer (Richardson) 108
Also eligible:
Snooma Sickle (Haycock) 120
Aussie Girl (Stanton) 119
High Cars (H. Trent) 118
Trish Signal (Stewart) 117
Two Dances (Simmons) 116
Inverness (P. Lavoie) 115
Couper Flash (Foster) 114
Lone Toubou (Foster) 113
Olio Part (A. Poel) 112
Brash (J. Haycock) 111
Pajka (H. Trent) 110
Brochle (R. Oliver) 109
Lace Hair (B. Blair) 108
THIRD RACE—Five furlongs:
Cabbet (Ulrich) 118
Strong Barrel (Williams) 117
Pett-Pett (no boy) 116
Coramant (H. Trent) 115
Winter Range (Gomes) 114
Whalsham (Stewart) 113
Royal Journey (A. Poel) 112
Celia Mac (Ricketts) 111
Also eligible:
Miss Publicity (H. Matthews) 110
Happy Sue (Richardson) 109
Rude Miss (Williams) 108
Rex Rusty (Haycock) 107
Briker (Stewart) 106
Army Flag (Stewart) 105
Miss Humbug (H. Oliver) 104
Dee Dee Did (Ulrich) 103
Storay Sue (F. Long) 102
Cedar Green (H. Trent) 101
Also eligible:
Frych Toner (Russell) 120
Lady Able (no boy) 119
My Reclamation (A. Poel) 118
Vendora (F. Matthews) 117
FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Western Cloud (Stewart) 112
Pammita (B. Blair) 111
Also eligible:
Juanando (Dickinson) 118
Vino Sengue (Williams) 117
La Vie (H. Trent) 116
No Later (Ulrich) 115
Kelliboro Sue (Russell) 114
SIXTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth:
Mazzy Tuna (Richardson) 108
Yehrom (J. Simmons) 107
Bonnie Tod (Foster) 106
Honey Hill (Haycock) 105
Pardina (H. Trent) 104
Balarana (R. Oliver) 103
Royal College (Richardson) 102
Honey Trick (Stanton) 101
Lady Asia (Williams) 100
Country Gink (Ventrella) 99
Also eligible:
Seirling (B. Blair) 115
Fair Elf (Arterburn) 114
Chickolater (Schilling) 113
SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Laudary (J. Oliver) 114
Comiston (Matthews) 113
Pacific Miss (Arterburn) 112
Peace Jeep (Richardson) 111
Sir Pinetop (Williams) 110
Sad Betty (H. Simmons) 109
Myestlorona (Stewart) 108
Pec Ograde (H. Trent) 107
EIGHTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Compelled (Stewart) 112
Miss Kaine (Schilling) 111
Ladworth (Arterburn) 110
Chabrine (Ulrich) 109
Royal Trip (B. Blair) 108
Comiston (Haycock) 107
Bull Returns (Schilling) 106
Permit Me (Simmons) 105
Calladiah (A. Poel) 104
Celia Mac (Ricketts) 103
Also eligible:
Ponding (A. Poel) 112
Fishing (Williams) 111
Shibonnes Boy (Matthews) 110
War Crest (Haycock) 109
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Eisenhower's Foreign Aid Plans Okayed

WASHINGTON (UP)—House Speaker Joseph W. Martin, Jr., predicted today the House will approve President Eisenhower's \$3,470,000,000 foreign aid program next week without any major cuts.

The House foreign affairs committee late Wednesday approved all but \$7,000,000 of the president's \$3,477,000,000 foreign aid request for the fiscal year 1955 starting July 1.

Rep. John M. Vorys (R.-O.), a key committee member, said the action "reflects an overall confidence in the administration and in the president." Vorys said the sweeping approval was unprecedented in his 16 years as a committee member.

New Oil Find Booms Shares

PERTH, Australia (UP)—Exploration shares sky-rocketed on the Australian stock market today following the announcement of the second oil strike near here within a year.

First indication of the discovery came during Wednesday's session of the Legislative Assembly when State Mines Minister Lionel Kelly said there were indications of increasing oil appearances at the Ampol Exploration's Rough Range No. 1, where oil was found last year at the 3,600-foot level.

The official announcement of the oil strike by the stock exchange followed within hours and Ampol Exploration shares started upward. Prices up to nine shillings and sixpence (\$1.09) were made sympathetically by several other oil stocks.

Kelly told the legislature that a cabinet decision would be forthcoming soon as to whether he would head an all-party committee to visit Alberta, and study the recent Canadian oil discoveries.

3 Men, 2 Boys Hurt In Separate Mishaps

A man who received a day-light beating, a boy who was hit by a flying hammer-head, another who was struck with a rock, and several industrial accidents gave city hospital emergency wards a busy time Wednesday.

Worst hurt was 12-year-old Vincent Rivers, 1509 Camosun, who is in good condition after an emergency operation for a head injury received at St. Louis College. He had been watching one of the teachers doing some carpentry when the head flew off a hammer, striking him. His condition at first was serious. A 40-year-old man is also in St. Joseph's with head injuries. Roy Suggen, 615 Catherine, was assaulted as he walked along Bastion near Wharf before dark Wednesday night.

Two witnesses told police that a car drove up and a man got out and knocked Suggen to the ground. Then the attacker drove away. Suggen suffered cuts to his chin and the back of his head. He is kept in hospital for observation.

Albert Wright, 188 Busby, went to St. Joseph's with head injuries after he was struck with a rock thrown by another youngster. It caught him on the temple and he came home groggy and with a headache. Fearful of concussion, a doctor rushed him for x-rays. He is in good condition in hospital today.

A contractor's employee who fell through a plate glass window at Hudson's Bay Company store when plank staging broke, was taken to St. Joseph's with a badly lacerated forearm. He is Robert Gerth, 56 South Turner. He was admitted for treatment.

Victoria Machinery Depot worker Enoch Lloyd, was taken unconscious to St. Joseph's after being struck by a falling board. He was admitted for facial injuries. Lloyd, a Vancouver man, stays at Victoria Auto-Court.

Westcoast Appeal Seen Holding Up U.S. Gas Line

BANFF, Alta. (CP)—Although Pacific Northwest Pipe Line Corporation of Houston, Texas, received a permit to ship natural gas to the U.S. Pacific northwest, the decision of Westcoast Transmission Company to appeal the ruling will probably postpone work on that project for a year or more.

This was made clear by a number of gas executives attending the Canadian Gas Association convention which closed at Banff Wednesday.

While the decision of Westcoast to appeal the U.S. Federal Power Commission's ruling is not an injunction against Northwest proceeding, gas men believe the Texas firm will be unable to obtain capital until the appeal is ruled upon.

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GOING—British actress Simone Silva, who caused many stretched necks when she stripped to the waist to pose with Robert Mitchum on the French Riviera, has been ordered to leave the U.S. within 60 days. Immigration officials say though she came here on a pleasure visa, Simone signed a Hollywood movie contract and was receiving a salary, which is illegal.

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Vancouver Endorses 6-Day Shopping Week

\$2 Million Sewer Program Given Majority; Airport and Larwill Park Sales Rejected

VANCOUVER (BUP)—Vancouver voters have endorsed a six-day shopping week and a \$2,000,000 sewer program.

Two other money-by-laws, one the sale of Larwill Park and city holdings at the international airport, were rejected by slim margins.

Unofficial results show that 54 per cent of the near-record 67,511 voters favored the six-day shopping week. However, opponents of the six-day week said they would demand a recount.

Nearly 40 per cent of eligible voters cast ballots in the referendum compared with just 30.6 per cent in last December's civic elections.

Three-fifths of the total vote was necessary to pass the money-by-laws. Just over 50

per cent voted against the Larwill Park sale. 54 per cent were in favor of a six-day shopping week, 80 per cent favored the sewers and 58.4 per cent favored the airport sale, not enough to pass it.

Final count from the eight polling stations in the Hastings-East district was 2,825 for a community centre and 1,003 against.

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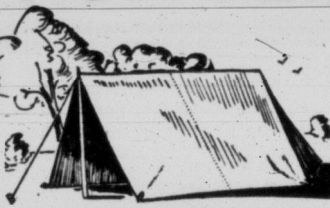
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Government and the Truth

THE SOCIAL CREDITERS OF British Columbia no doubt will be interested in any public utterance by Mr. Hansell, member of Parliament for Macleod, because he largely organized Social Credit's original victory here. A few days ago Mr. Hansell revealed his inner thinking, on a vital issue, to the House of Commons. It is to be hoped that the Bennett Government will note and repudiate his views.

Mr. Hansell assured the House that he was devoted to the freedom of the press. Mr. Pickersgill, the Secretary of State, interrupted to ask Mr. Hansell if he were thus renouncing the famous Alberta Press Act of the Aberhart Government. Mr. Hansell tried to argue in reply that this legislation "in no sense of the word" constituted "control of the press." What the Press Act did was this, that when a falsehood was given out in a news report of government activity, then the government had the right to correct that report. The government claimed the right to correct that which was false by law.

This convenient excuse was quickly punctured by Mr. Stanley Knowles, of the C.C.F. He asked who, under the Alberta law, would determine the truth. The answer, of course, is that the government would determine it. And that is precisely why the Supreme Court of Canada threw out the Alberta law, holding that no provincial legislature can force the press to print or suppress anything.

All this may seem to belong to past history, since the Aberhart Government failed in its attack on press freedom. In fact, the recent House of Commons discussion is highly relevant to current events. In the first place it reveals the mind of such Social Credit prophets as Mr. Hansell and, secondly, it emphasizes the menace of the Quebec Government's new Freedom of Worship Act, a statute designed to give the Provincial Government control not only of the press but of free assembly, free speech, of motion pictures and of television.

Mr. Hansell and Mr. Duplessis—interesting companions in this mat-

ter—do not admit, of course, that their philosophy endangers free discussion in the press or elsewhere. They hold simply that governments, apparently by their miraculous nature, are better able than anyone else to decide what is true and what is false.

Therefore, says Mr. Hansell, the Alberta Government was quite justified in attempting to force the press to tell the truth about public business and to correct its own errors. In practical fact, as Mr. Hansell well knows, governments in Canada are always able to correct false reports. No Canadian newspaper, so far as we know, ever refuses to print a government statement, whether it is true or not, and that is the clear duty of the press.

But once the press is compelled by law to print anything, its freedom—and the freedom of all public discussion—is instantly threatened, for there is no end to this kind of invasion but state censorship, like that of all totalitarian countries.

The theory announced by Mr. Hansell in Parliament is simply based on the premise that government always knows what is true and what is best for the people when obviously all governments are making mistakes and changing their minds every day. Moreover, all governments have a vested interest in twisting and sugar-coating the news to suit their own political convenience.

The press, too, makes many errors but so long as it is free and open to all opinions the truth, or as much of the truth as the human mind can discover, emerges in the course of democratic debate.

The real danger of Social Credit thinking in Alberta and Mr. Duplessis' thinking in Quebec, is that, enforced by law, it would destroy that debate piecemeal.

Unfortunately Mr. Hansell still defends the undemocratic philosophy of the discredited Alberta Press Act in Parliament today. It is to be hoped that he has no secret sympathizers in the Social Credit Government of British Columbia, which he helped to elect.

R. H. Pooley, QC

GREATER VICTORIANS AND people from all walks of life further afield today paid tribute to the memory of R. H. Pooley, QC.

Their words bore evidence of the esteem in which they held the grand old man of the British Columbia Conservative Party not only as a great servant of the public and an old Victorian, but as a person of high integrity and devoted loyalty to the principles he cherished.

Harry Pooley was born in Esquimalt. He was its champion and his people never failed in the support they gave him. In the Legislature where his father had at one time been

Mr. Speaker, he established a record of which he was justly proud.

First elected in 1912, he survived his political familiars of the McBride administration and served with distinction as Attorney-General in the Tolmie government. His was a strict adherence to principles in public life, an abiding sense of the responsibility of office and an outspoken political courage which won him universal respect.

As an individual he was a staunch friend, a gracious host, a lover of sport and man among men in the outdoors.

Lessons in Water Safety

TWICE THIS WEEK PEOPLE skilled in different types of water safety have averted serious and, in one case, fatal accidents.

Because Raymond Bell, 15-year-old Mount Douglas High School student and Sea Cadet, could swim competently and because Leonard Mann, 32, hospital orderly knew how to apply artificial respiration, 11-year-old Gary Quick is alive today. Between them the two rescuers took him from the bottom of Beaver Lake and resuscitated him.

A day later Gerry Stinson, 15-year-old Hollywood Crescent boy, pulled two younger lads from the cold waters of Foul Bay after their borrowed boat had foundered.

Seeds of Its Own Defeat

THE MONTREAL GAZETTE very rightly begs to differ with a statement which it says is being heard in various parts of the United States today. That statement is: "There's no wrong way to fight Communism."

Such an opinion is being used to support arguments in favor of McCarthyism. The reasoning is that no matter what you do, if it is against communism it must be good. But the methods and results of the McCarthy forces are proof enough that mere anti-communism is not enough.

To accept the dictum is to believe, for instance, that the methods of Hitler and Mussolini were good, for both these worthies were against communism and used their strong opposition to it as part of their strategy

in climbing to power. There is little to be preferred, surely, between the two tarred ends of a stick. Obviously it is to be grasped clearly in the middle.

Extremism of one ideology can lead only to attempts to impose the opposite extreme. It is the middle course, the area of compromise, of co-operation, of protection for minority rights, for which democracy is noted.

The net effect of both extreme right and extreme left is to deprive the individual of freedom, to regiment communities, to make each man and woman a cog in the state machine. The evil of the one cannot be defeated by imposing the evil of the other. But that is a truth which the admirers of Mr. McCarthy will not recognize.

LOOSE ENDS

The Voice and the Mind

SOMETIMES, in the fury of Congressional debate, the impatient outside world wonders if the genius of the American people is concentrated mainly in the voice rather than the mind. The voice has been pretty strident in the mouths of such men as Senator McCarthy. Behind this sound, little noted by foreigners, the mind has been furiously at work also, and lately has uttered its inner conclusions through two of the greatest living Americans.

Because their testimony is far more important but less exciting than the testimony of Congressional committees it has not been widely reported. The truth about great affairs is seldom exciting but anyone who has read a speech by Mr. Walter Lippmann, in California, and by Mr. Adlai Stevenson, in New York, must realize that the real genius of the American people—so often obscenely caricatured abroad—is unimpaired and still as powerful as when it built the world's leading nation.

MR. LIPPMANN begins by observing the first fact of our time—namely, that western civilization, which bestrode the world like a colossus in the nineteenth century, is writ running to the most remote wilderness, has suffered, in the twentieth, a sudden loss of power. For the first time since the Middle Ages not only its power but its validity has been seriously challenged by a counter-revolution, masquerading in the name of progress.

This sudden counter-revolution has caught the western world completely unprepared and its leader, the United States, is reeling under responsibilities which it never expected, for which its system was never built. In a crisis unlike any other since the fall of the Roman Empire, it is hardly surprising that many Western statesmen can think of nothing better, than hysteria, preventive wars and hoarse screaming at the keyholes of government.

BUT, as Mr. Lippmann says, we shall make no progress toward the recovery of our power until we first face a reappraisal far wider, deeper and more agonizing than any yet proposed by Mr. Dulles. We must face, as we have not yet faced, the clear fact that our Western civilization, after centuries of universal acceptance, is now on trial for the first time—and for its life.

While Mr. Lippmann was speaking in California Mr. Stevenson went to New York and at Columbia University revealed those secret conclusions which are not likely to appear in a Presidential election. The inevitable tragedy of a statesman's office, like Mr. Eisenhower, is that he can seldom, if ever, express all his thoughts candidly, however honest he may be. Mr. Stevenson, being out of office and relatively independent, can say what he really thinks, and happily Mr. Stevenson is that rare phenomenon, a philosopher in politics.

HE begins by observing that American civilization is a far greater affair than many Americans and most foreigners realize. Among other things, its perpetuity has made socialism "obsolete" and revealed dictatorship, apart from its brutality, as a crude and blundering instrument. Still, Mr. Stevenson, like Mr. Lippmann, is under no illusions. He finds his people at a watershed of their life. They have come so far, with unparalleled success, by their own existing methods,

but these methods are no longer adequate.

All the methods of the hand, as they may be called, have been mastered in the United States—so well, indeed, that they are everywhere imitated by the enemy. It is the method of the American mind that alarms Mr. Stevenson. As a philosopher he knows that the philosophical problem in any nation or man is always the supreme problem, beside which the practical problems are always relatively unimportant. He knows, from the economic charts, what is happening to the physical body of his nation and to the physical life of its people. He asks what is happening to the American mind.

THAT mind, he says, was shaped by certain principles, first imported in the crowded little cabins of the Mayflower. Arrived in the jungle of New England, the revolutionary minds of Englishmen were then reshaped by their strange new environment, and mainly by the belief that the making of profits would of itself assure a good society.

Up to recent times that assumption appeared sound. It produced the richest society ever known. At the same time, as Mr. Stevenson says, it produced a highly materialistic society. And the sovereign question today is whether such a society can successfully confront a society called communism which is still more materialistic, which rejects as mere superstition the very basis of Western civilization.

MR. STEVENSON is too honest to offer a reassuring answer. He fears that, for all the superficial quarrels, the visage of America, on the outside at least, is taking on more and more the visage of its enemy. That, and not some passing incident in the cold war, is what worries this philosopher.

On the other hand, he is not discouraged but encouraged to find his people awakening as it were, from a long and pleasant dream. He sees them suddenly shaken, sobered and disillusioned by the discovery that all they have done, all their prodigies of thought and labor, all their expenditure of blood and treasure, are not enough.

Somehow, for all their ingenuity, their cunning machines, their foolproof Constitution and their confident slogans, the Americans are not ready for this crisis. They are not ready, Mr. Stevenson thinks, because they have concerned themselves too much with the work of the hands and too little with the work of the mind, too much with modern material progress and too little with old-fashioned principles and the early faith of their fathers.

PUTTING it another way, one might say that the crisis of America consists of one simple question, equally involving every human being alive. It is not a question measurable by military or economic power, the only measurement recognized by the Communists, the only measurement usually discussed in Western political debate. It is measurable only in the terms used by Mr. Stevenson.

The question, in short, is not whether Western civilization has the physical power to survive its crisis but whether it deserves to survive by its inner worth—that is to say, by its mind, not its hands; by its spirit not by its body.

That test the enemy rejects as absurd, as it is also rejected by many Westerners. Mr. Stevenson thinks it is the final and unavoidable test, which his people and all free people are now entering. If the reading public is not interested in such reflections it does not know either the real mind of the American people or its own crisis.

Esquimalt—'Bomber's Delight'

REFERENCE the editorial "A Long Way To Go" in your paper June 16.

Is it any wonder that people are apathetic in regard to Civil Defense when the federal authorities show so little concern about it in this area? One has only to walk past Naden to observe new construction in an already extremely congested area and to read in the Times of further developments in that or the Dockyard area, to come to the conclusion that Ottawa does not believe there will ever be any form of attack on Esquimalt Naval base.

Even before the last war we in the service always called it the "bomber's delight," it made such a splendid target. There would be no need for an atomic bomb. A few block busters would put it out of action.

As regards Victoria, does anyone seriously believe that it is a city of such importance that it would justify the expenditure of an atom bomb much less the more powerful hydrogen type?

Here again a few ordinary bombs would be all that was required. Everything of importance lies in a line from Parliament Buildings to Bay Street. This includes St. Joseph's Hospital, and in the afternoon and evening, many of the doctors who are in downtown offices; most of the sources of food supply; banks; police and fire stations. Even the CDHQ is located along this line, according to Monday's scheme.

DISPERSION

If there was any lesson that the last two wars taught it is dispersion. Places of importance should be scattered over a wide area and made as inconspicuous as possible especially as viewed from the air. Preferably underground or in the side of hills.

Esquimalt and Victoria do not lend themselves to effective AA defense. I know this because in the past I have had to try and draw up a scheme, for such defense. A glance at the map will show why. Before the war we knew that a bomber flying at only 12,000 feet and at 150 miles per hour had to release its bombs when 2,000 yards from the target. At greater heights and faster speeds this distance would be greatly increased. This means that a plane must be stopped several miles distant from the target area.

This means that AA defenses must be sited at such a distance that planes will not be able to reach the range of bomb release. In other words, Esquimalt is now out of date as a naval base.

From a civilian standpoint I think the greatest danger is from napalm bombs scattered indiscriminately among our flimsy wooden buildings. This would not necessitate accuracy in bombing and in its way is as terrible as the atom bomb and much cheaper.

I have seen no mention of this form

of attack in anything I have read about Civil Defense.

Regarding evacuation, this would seem to present many problems difficult to solve.

(1) We live on a peninsula with only one exit by road, i.e., the Island Highway, with a bad bottleneck at Parsons Bridge right in the main target area and another at Goldstream. Traffic stalled here during a raid would probably result in greater casualties than if people remained at home. Going towards Sidney would not be much use if the force of a hydrogen bomb was to be considered.

PERMANENT EVACUATION

(2) Is the area to be evacuated permanently or only on an air raid warning? If not permanently where are 60,000 or more people going to be accommodated especially in winter? Who would prevent looting during their absence?

(3) Are they to be forced to evacuate? If so, what number of police or troops will be required? Who will provide the transport? How will people in hospital be taken care of? Island hospitals could not handle them all.

(4) Is evacuation to take place at every raid warning? What happens if these are frequent as they may be if only ordinary bombs are used?

SKEPTICAL.

DENNIS THE MENACE



"HOW WOULD HE EVER LEARN TO DRIVE IF HE DIDN'T RECOGNIZE HIS MISTAKES?"

Trans-Atlantic Flight



To Be Treated Like an Enemy

BY JOSEPH AND STEWART ALSOP, From Washington

THERE is to be no more appeasing of McCarthy. On the contrary, McCarthy is to be recognized for what he is—the president's most dangerous enemy—and treated accordingly.

This is the word that is being passed around in the administration, in the wake of the Army-McCarthy hearings. It will be interesting to see how this doctrine is translated into action. It will be interesting to see, for example, whether McCarthy is to be permitted to retain the rare right of inspecting the income tax returns of anyone he may happen to dislike, in or out of the government.

Most people regard their tax returns as strictly a private matter between their consciences and the internal revenue bureau. Yet McCarthy unquestionably has this right of inspection. He was granted it on Feb. 6, 1953, a matter of days after President Eisenhower took office. On that day the president signed Executive Order 10435, giving the McCarthy committee access to "any income, excess profits, capital stock, estate, or gift tax returns."

It is true that other congressional committees have had access to tax returns. The difference is, of course, that these committees were not headed by a Joseph R. McCarthy.

SMEAR MATERIAL

The fact came out clearly during the recent hearings that McCarthy has actually had prepared dossiers of smear material about at least two members of his own committee—Sens. Symington and Jackson. Tax returns, even of the most conscientious taxpayers, are obviously gold mines for the smear collectors.

McCarthy has already used the access to tax returns granted him by the president to smear one high Eisenhower administration official—Assistant Secretary of Defense Struve Hensel. McCarthy charged, in effect, that Hensel was a war profiteer. Hensel immediately branded the charge a lie, and demanded an investigation by the justice department.

This investigation will soon be completed. It is expected to clear Hensel unconditionally. If so, McCarthy will stand convicted of having grossly abused the privilege granted him by the president

under Executive Order 10435. This being so, should the president permit him to retain the privilege of inspecting other people's tax returns?

The president can rescind his order at any time. Moreover, Rep. Emanuel Celler, ranking Democrat on the powerful judiciary committee, has strongly urged the president to do just that, in a personal letter. The implication is plain that Celler will otherwise raise the issue publicly.

VAST COLLECTION

No doubt by now McCarthy already has a vast collection of photostats of tax returns; in this sense rescinding the order would be a somewhat belated gesture. Yet it would at least be a public presidential endorsement of Hensel as an honorable man. It would also, of course, be a most direct presidential challenge to McCarthy, since the order can only be rescinded by the president himself.

It is not clear whether the president is yet willing to go so far. The evidence on this point is conflicting.

On the other hand, a carefully planned and surprisingly effective campaign to undercut the McCarthy influence in key areas of the Republican party has been under way with White House approval. More direct action against McCarthy has also been considered.

For example, the president has seriously discussed with old friends the advisability of making a speech attacking McCarthyism and McCarthy by name, for the first time, soon after the adjournment of Congress. Moreover, Allen Dulles, chief of the central intelligence agency, has received categorical assurances of all-out support from the president, if the expected McCarthy attack on the CIA materializes.

In general, there is everywhere in the executive branch far less fear of McCarthy's wrath, since the hearings, and far more confidence that bold action in the matter of McCarthy is likely to succeed. It will be interesting to see whether this new boldness is such that McCarthy, whose own income tax returns are currently being investigated, will be told by the President to keep his nose out of other people's!

As Our Readers See It

"WONDERFUL RESPONSE"

The executive committee of the Salvation Army Red Shield campaign would like to thank all donors for their wonderful response to our appeal for funds.

This year there was a large increase in the actual number of subscribers. We are grateful to them for their additional support when the returns were slow to come in at the beginning of our drive.

The committee's thanks are due to the canvassers, who were the key figures in the success of the campaign; to the local press, who not only gave space for news items, but editorials; to the radio and the members of Major Milley's staff, who, with Major Milley, worked so hard during the last two months. To all who worked in any way in this very successful drive our grateful thanks.

God bless you all.
D. J. PROUDFOOT,
General Chairman.

THANKS FOR HIS LIFE

Through the courtesy of this newspaper we would like to publicly express our heartfelt gratitude to all those who helped to save Gary's life at Beaver Lake Sunday, June 20.

We owe our boy's life to the quick action of Raymond Bell and Leonard Mann.

The service rendered by the fire department and police force can only be appreciated by those who have needed them.

Everything was in readiness for us at the hospital, and we wish to thank the entire staff and especially Dr. Vey and Dr. Gale.

Mr. and Mrs. Sadler of Beaver Lake, and all the others who gave help have our deep and sincere thanks.

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MARKED FOR READING

WELL TRIED, SIR

Preaching's not difficult, man; it's impossible.

Dr. A. C. Craig of the Church of Scotland, quoting his old teacher.

June 24, 1894: The post-office department has arranged for exchange of money orders between Canada and Hawaii and Australia. Victoria will be the exchange headquarters.

June 24, 1914: Miss Verna Felton and the Allen Players were welcomed back to Victoria by a fair audience in Royal Victoria Theatre last night in William B. de Mille's drama of politics, "The Woman." Miss Felton impersonates a telephone girl.

June 24, 1934: Sunshine Inn showed a deficit of \$55.34 for May, according to the financial statement read at a meeting of the Victoria Welfare Association's committee. Meals provided totaled 7,219.

Dogs and Hats

"It's me dogs. They bin killin' me all day," puffed the stout woman as she poked herself down in the seat next mine at the shoe store and thankfully "shucked off her high-heeled pumps.

She sat, massaging her toes, and telling me about the miseries of feet, and how she'd suffered with her "dogs" all her life.

It was such a human conversation that we quite forgot the sales clerk when, at last, he came to interrupt us.

Shoe stores, especially cheap ones, seem to me the saddest places. Human beings appear there at their most forlorn. Even a smart woman loses a little of her glamour when seated, shoeless, in the public gaze. The rest of us look terrible. Those poor misshapen lumps of flesh and bone that we call feet! Calloused from walking on hard pavements, twisted from years of imprisonment in shoes, swollen with standing, they're definitely not a joy forever.



Ruth

Some feet may trip the light, fantastic toe, run to meet a lover, spring lightly from sheer joie de vivre. There may be printless feet upon the sands of time.

But they are not the feet we see in shoe stores. The feet that I see there make me understand why so many of us hope we'll die with our boots on!

In a shoe store, all the shoddy little secrets are revealed; the sock darned with wool of another hue, especially in places where normally it wouldn't show; the hole that was only a

thin spot in the morning, but now gapes to reveal a nubly toe.

No, shoe stores are for the strong, and for those unmoved by the miseries of mankind.

A hat store is different. There's humanity there, too, but it's humanity in a hopeful mood. I know a woman, a dumpy little creature whose skin is wrinkled now, and whose once-black hair is streaked with grey.

She loves to buy a hat, and tries on all the salesgirl brings her.

But those she loves most are the tiny, feminine, frivolous ones. When she tries these on, she takes the hand mirror and turns her head from side to side so that she can see herself from every angle.

There's a girlish, almost-roguish smile on her face at such moments. To onlookers, she seems a ridiculous old woman. To herself, she is once again a pretty girl.

Her white-haired husband, who is a darling, never laughs at her when she takes home some ridiculous little hat.

She always puts it on for him first thing. And he always pretends that she looks sweet in it. "Why, darling, that reminds me of a pretty hat you had years ago." I've heard him say. "Do you remember? You wore it with a blue dress to that picnic where I first met you at the lake."

It isn't a bit like the lakeside hat, and the dress happened to be mauve, but, after years of marriage, she's learned to let him think that he is right.

They smile at one another, remembering their meeting. And when he kisses her with the gentle kiss of habit and old age, she thinks with wistful amusement of the slim eager girl she used to be, and of that lakeside picnic long ago.

VOICE OF BROADWAY

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

Yehudi Menuhin Writes

(Dorothy Kilgallen is on vacation. Her guest columnist today is the concert violinist, Yehudi Menuhin.)

NEW YORK—India is a land of incredible beauty and fascination, of tremendous contrasts in living standards, and like the ocean, forever unfathomable. I cannot, of course, speak of this land as someone who has lived there for a long time, let alone one who was born and raised there. My picture of India is merely one seen through the eyes of a foreigner.

During my two visits to this country I was impressed above all by the spontaneous courtesy of the people, their belief in a simple life and their ability for utter relaxation of mind and body. Due to the fact that India is not a technocracy, its

middle class is fairly small. Also, due to this fact, the so-called slums in the big cities are not as terribly depressing and dirty as those of the western cities. In Bombay, for instance, which in many respects is as modern as any city on our continent or in Europe, the slum section consists of straw huts. Here the Indian sleeps on the ground or on straw pallets. Here he sits for hours cross-legged on the floor, chewing his betel nut. He probably owns no more than one piece of clothing, his "dhoti," which he washes before every meal. Often he will walk into the water with the dhoti on and then let it dry on the body, a process which only takes 10 minutes due to the great heat.

The Indian is tremendously fastidious and clean and extremely handsome. The average man is lithe of build and healthy. One reason, I believe, for the amazing vitality of his body is the fact that the real Indian does not sit in chairs or sleep on soft mattresses. I am speaking, of course, of the working or peasant class. The upper class, which has adopted many elements of western culture, lives in many respects as we do.

The women, in their brightly colored saris, live in the same manner. It is a fascinating sight to see them walking down the street, with their elegant bearing and sinuous walk, carrying baskets on their heads and babies on their hips. One of the child's legs goes across the mother's front, the other around her back.

The man in the town does whatever work he can find. But the man in the country works only about six months of the year. During the terribly hot summer months he relaxes and merely takes care of himself and his family. Aside from farmers, we also find the people who work in the "Cottage Industry," an industry of handicrafts, encouraged by Gandhi in order to avoid mass-migration to the city. During

their leisure time these people sit in their homes or endlessly walk-up and down through the villages.

Curried rice with spiced vegetables is, of course, the main diet. The Hindu is not supposed to eat meat, although some of the more sophisticated Hindu class has now abolished this custom. The most general drink is "Neera," derived from a certain palm. In Bombay, where we encounter prohibition, it must be drunk within 24 hours as it becomes too alcoholic in content after that time.

There is little entertainment for the poor Indian. Only the middle class can afford to sit through the endless movie showings. Interestingly enough, the Indian film industry is the second largest in the world.

At the head of this amazing country stands Pandit Nehru, a man who might well be described as having a western-trained mind and eastern heart—a man who works as hard as anyone I have encountered.

Although he likes music, he does not listen to records, as far as I know, because there simply is no time for it in his day. I consider myself, therefore, very flattered that he attended most of the concerts which I played in India two years ago and this past April. Upon my inquiry this did not mean giving up too much of his time, he answered. "It is good for me, for aside from liking to listen to the music, I can also think about the important problems of the day."

The reaction of Indian audiences to western music is most gratifying. I must state, of course, that I only played for those Indians who had come in close contact with our way of life, not for the working or peasant class, since they cannot afford to go to concerts.

I would say that Indians like best music of a meditative and spiritual kind. This is, of course, logical, since they refresh their mind and body through meditation and spiritual concentration. It is interesting, for instance, that there is a tendency in the western world to play the works of Bach and Beethoven too fast, to please the demands of our highly stimulated minds. I believe that an Indian playing our music would never make this mistake.

To a great degree, the Indian ability to relax must be traced back to the age-old science of Yoga, a highly complicated series of exercises. In contrast with other body-building exercises, Yoga is not based on muscular strain and physical exertion, nor does it exclude the mind. It is to me the perfect balance between relaxation of mind and body. I first came upon Yoga when I bought a book about this science in New Zealand. I started to teach myself the basic exercises, and ever since my first visit to India, when I received some thorough instructions, I have become quite efficient in it.

Yoga is only one of the many things which have made India a unique place among the more than 50 countries I have visited.

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD
Sunshine, 1954 — 974.0 hours
Last year — 831.5 hours

Precip. to date — 14.44 ins.
Last year — 16.30 ins.

Synopsis—Variable cloudiness and a few showers will persist over the north coast and Cariboo regions today. However, sufficient sunshine should break through to boost temperatures a little above those of Wednesday. Elsewhere throughout southern B.C. another warm day is in prospect. A new storm now appears to be developing about 800 miles west of the Oregon coast. This disturbance will lie close to the Washington coast Friday and threatens to bring to an end the present spell of fine weather.

DOMINION
PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE
9 A.M. FORECASTS
Forecast valid until midnight Friday
Victoria—Sunny today and Friday

Perjury Hearing
NELSON, B.C. (CP)—The trial continues today of Louis Chizmazia, charged with perjury following a fire marshall's inquiry into the burning of his Castlegar house last July.

At the inquiry, Chizmazia said he was at his home at Renata on the Arrow Lakes when the fire broke out; but witnesses said they saw the accused in Castlegar vicinity half an hour later, deputy fire marshall B. O. Nixon told the court.

morning cloudy during the afternoon and evening. Not much chance of rain. Temperature: Light wind. Low-high Friday 56 and 65.

WEST COAST—Cloudy Friday with light rain beginning about noon. A little cooler. Light winds becoming southerly 30 about noon Friday. Low-high Friday at Estevan Point 56 and 66.

VANCOUVER, GEORGIA STRAIT—Bunny Friday morning, cloudy during the afternoon and evening. Not much change in temperature. Light winds. Low-high Friday at Vancouver airport 46 and 58. Nanaimo 42 and 70.

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Commonwealth Talks Possible Subject By PMs

OTTAWA (CP) — The prime ministers of the United Kingdom and Canada, meeting here June 30, likely will consider the feasibility of bringing the Commonwealth countries together in another conference to review the shaky world situation.

Prime Minister St. Laurent gave a hint of this in the Commons Wednesday as Opposition Leader Drew renewed his appeal for a Commonwealth meeting to show the world how a meeting of countries can be a success.

Mr. St. Laurent also said that a federal-provincial conference on the constitution, also requested by Mr. Drew, will be called "just as soon as we can have something concrete to delegate to that conference."

Meanwhile, the government is giving "serious consideration" to the suggestion by Premier Frost of Ontario that a preliminary meeting of senior technical officials be convened as a prelude to the broader federal-provincial talks.

WANTS SUMMER TALKS
Mr. Drew urged that the federal-provincial conference be called during Parliament's summer adjournment.

As for a commonwealth conference, Mr. Drew said the prime minister should take this up with Sir Winston Churchill, when the British prime minister and Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, arrive here Tuesday for talks.

"There is something which offers hope to us and to all the rest of the world... let me offer that, in establishing more effective understanding within this great Commonwealth we would be in any way creating any barriers between ourselves and the United States. On the contrary, we would offer to them greater evidence of how other conferences can proceed."

EAST MUST LEAD
Mr. St. Laurent said about a Commonwealth meeting: "There is no doubt that is something that will arise in the course of the informal conversations we will be having with Churchill and Eden."

Outside the Commons, officials said that if another Commonwealth meeting is called, it likely will deal mainly with the Indo-China war and the role and policies of Commonwealth countries in Asia in dealing with Communist aggression.

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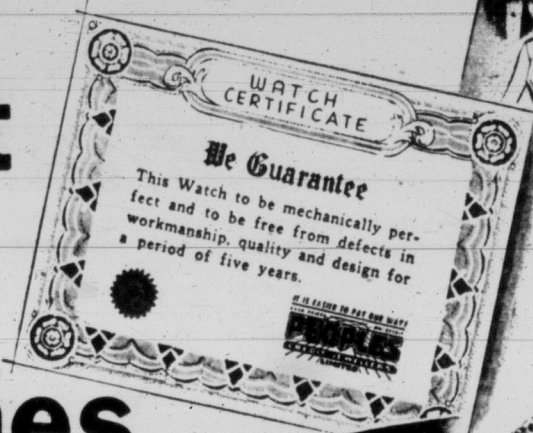
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COMMISSIONER COMMITTED TO HIGHER COURT

DUNCAN—A statutory charge against Vernon Lloyd Thompson, Lake Cowichan village, commissioner, concerning a 16-year-old girl, was heard in camera Wednesday afternoon in Duncan police court.

The preliminary hearing lasted nearly two hours, at the end of which Thompson was committed by Col. J. H. Boyd for trial in a higher court.

David R. Williams, appearing for the Crown, requested the police magistrate to exclude the public and press. Police said that the charge arose at Lake Cowichan on or about April 20. Thompson was represented by Robert C. Weir, Nanaimo.

Boston Doctor Plans Block In Nanaimo

NANAIMO—A realty company here has announced that a new subdivision is nearing completion, and that plans have been completed for the construction of a \$150,000 16-suite apartment block.

Dr. T. Cosgrove, Boston, Mass., will build the apartment and a \$30,000 home for himself at Beach Acres, overlooking the Black Ball ferry terminal. Streets in the new subdivision will be named after early Spanish explorers. The new north end junior high school will be built on adjoining property. Homes in the area will range between \$9,000 and \$30,000 in price.

In anticipation of further development in the business section of the city, civic property opposite the Simpsons-Sears store will be rented by the city for six months, possibly as a parking lot.

90 Attend Dinner Held By Chamber

LADYSMITH—A total of 90 persons attended the first "Ladies Night" conducted by the Chamber of Commerce here.

Malcolm MacKenzie, president, said the response of members, their wives, and friends has led the chamber to consider such an event as an annual affair.

Legion women's auxiliary catered for the event, held in the Legion Hall. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Haddock, Victoria, and W. J. Farnsworth, vice-president of the Nanaimo chamber, and Mrs. Farnsworth.

Mt. Brenton PTA Elects Officers

SALEFAIR—Mount Brenton PTA has elected R. Wicker as its president for the forthcoming year.

Mrs. J. Seaton has been named vice-president. Mrs. U. Tilley, secretary, and Mrs. George Hutchinson, treasurer. Mrs. R. Williams will head the social committee. Mrs. F. Yaniv and Mrs. R. Chamberlin will share membership committee work. Mrs. Jean Maddip will handle publicity, and Mrs. J. Seaton will serve as the association's historian.

Former Alderman Seeks Election

NANAIMO—Former alderman George Addison is the first entry to announce his candidature in the forthcoming civic election, set for July 8.

The summer poll has been called because of the resignation of Lamont Ross from city council, following recent defeat of the cemetery-by-law.

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Ladysmith First Aid Men Top Scorers

Comox Logging and Railway Co. Ltd. first aid team of Ladysmith won imposing array of silverware in Cumberland and Victoria. Team members are, from left, J. Thomas, O. Watson, A.

Radford (captain), R. Popovich, J. Davidson, instructor is A. J. Taylor, company safety director, of Ladysmith-Courtenay operations. (Photo by John MacNaughton.)

BOOTS CUSTOM-BUILT

Sooke Men Competing in Idaho For World Log Birling Title

BY DOUGLAS FORRESTER

SOOKE—Two modest young Sooke residents this week-end will compete for the world's "Roleo" championship at Priest River, Idaho.

Jubiel Wickheim, 20, a spraying contractor, and his brother, Ardiel, 24, a Cooper's Cove boom man, have done well in log birling contests on Vancouver Island, and now feel qualified to take on North America's best on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

They and two other men from Nova Scotia will be the only Canadians in the contest. Competing against them will be James Running of Eau Claire, Wis., who has lost only one match since 1941, and strong teams from elsewhere in Wisconsin and Washington, Oregon and Idaho.

DIFFERENT STYLES

Midwest birlers specialize in a "pit-a-pat" style that takes advantage of a foe's mistakes and depends greatly on endurance. The far west log rollers use a rough, slugging, aggressive technique.

Jubiel, who won a second place in All-Sooke Day last year and a third at Courtenay, appears to combine both techniques. He practices on a cedar log six feet long and 14 inches in diameter that barely supports his weight. He feels that maintaining balance on the small log gives him speed.

His older brother placed first in sports at Esquimalt and second in the Canadian champion ships at Courtenay.

Depending on how well they perform at Priest River, the two Sooke birlers might go on to Albany, Ore., for logging sports July 3 and 4.

"Don't say that we expect to win," they told me several times. They are modest, retiring, and given to the traditional conservatism of their Norwegian parents.

Such conservatism, though, does not extend to their boots. Unlike the common logger's boot with 10-inch uppers and high heels, their birling footgear is custom-built for them in Oregon.

These special models are light, fitted like skating boots, and with laces to the toe. Holes in the sides let water out, and they are low with no notch under the heel. Except for their vicious, needle-sharp caulkers, the boots look a little like women's "wedgies" with their two-toned leather and flat sole.

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Theft Charge

DUNCAN—Former secretary-manager of the Cowichan Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition, William Sylvester Sharp, appeared in police court here Wednesday afternoon on a charge of theft by conversion, and was remanded until July 2.

The charge read that Sharp had received \$1,187 from Pieter H. Groenewold and Willem Wiersma for the sale of two lots, on which is now being built the first Duncan Christian Reformed Church, the property of Melba Louis Schappert.

The charge was laid by Schappert, Sharp, escorted by Duncan RCMP, arrived here Wednesday. He was arrested on a warrant in North Bay, Ont., where he was stationed as a member of the RCAF.

Air force service police turned the accused over to RCMP at North Bay.

D. K. McAdam acted for the Crown in the hearing before Magistrate A. C. Sutton, and the accused was represented by David R. Williams.

After both lawyers had agreed that July 2 would be suitable for the hearing, Mr. Williams requested that his client be allowed bail. This was set at \$5,000.

Tenders Called

Tenders have been called for the reconstruction of 4.85 miles of Trans-Canada Highway north of Ladysmith, according to the public works department.

The project will extend from Mile 57.4 at Oyster Bay to Mile 62.25, where it will connect with the south end of the project now under way from Nanaimo south.

Teachers' Dismissal Splits School Board

DUNCAN—Unorganized area trustees of School District 65 have requested a meeting of the board within 10 days time, or sooner, for the purpose of dealing with correspondence received by registered mail and not put before the board at the last meeting.

Chairman of the board, J. C. Long, had been notified, but no action had been taken until Wednesday evening. At a committee session a few weeks ago the board went over staff problems and agreed upon the dismissal of a probationary teacher from the Cowichan High School because of his continuous failure to maintain discipline in classes.

The dismissal was made with the knowledge and approval of the school inspector.

Several attempts to re-open the subject have been made by trustees G. E. Bonner, G. W. Brownlee, C. J. White and H. R. Marshall. At the last meeting of the board the city and municipal trustees agreed to do so, but only on the conditions that it be done privately in committee.

PRIVATE DISCUSSION

These trustees said they were not prepared to discuss personalities and the work and reputation of teachers in front of a public audience or the press. At this the rural trustees took umbrage, and a motion was introduced that discussion on the matter be postponed. It was carried.

"Correspondence received by registered mail" referred to by rural trustees is a letter from the B.C. Teachers' Federation to the board. It has never been

read officially at a meeting, but is understood to contain the admission that the federation is powerless to stop the board from dismissing a teacher whose appointment was probationary.

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Community Has Only Girl Babies

PORT ALBERNI—Medical researchers, who might be looking for a new project, could very well give some attention to a rather unusual situation that exists at Kelvin Grove.

Ald. W. C. Hamilton, a long-time resident of the grove, revealed the circumstances at a city council meeting this week. The strange thing about Kelvin Grove is that no boys have ever been born there.

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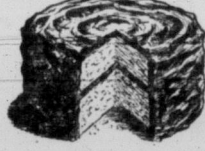
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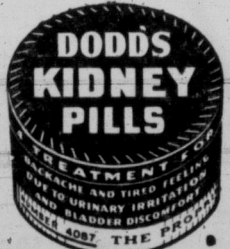
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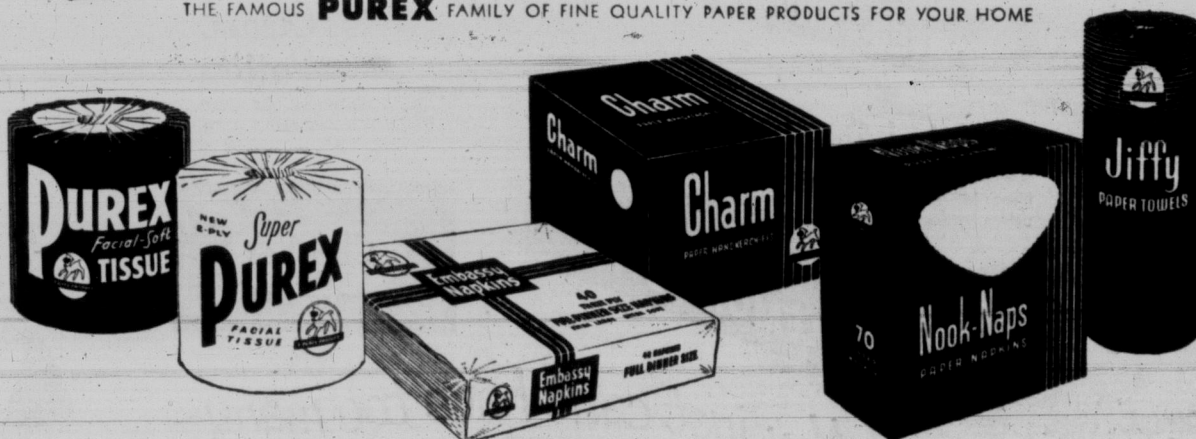
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Sewage System Only Answer For View Royal

Installation of a sewage system in View Royal is the only way residents of the district will be able to get rid of its unsanitary sewage disposal, according to G. H. Watts, sanitary inspector for Saanich and South Vancouver Island Health Unit.

Mr. Watts was commenting on complaints of residents that the ditches in the district are clogged with refuse and sewage and are a danger to public health.

View Royal residents have requested the provincial department of public works to clean out the ditches.

Mr. Watts said cleaning out the ditches would not solve the problem of sewage. "A sewage system is the only answer to the problem," he said.

He urged the residents to form an improvement district under the Water Rights Act so that they could install a sewage system for their district.

Dr. A. N. Beattie of the Saanich Health Unit, was of the same opinion.

With regard to beliefs of some residents that the unsanitary ditches were responsible for two polio cases in View Royal last year, Dr. Beattie said he did not think so. There was no proven evidence yet that polio is carried by water, insects or anything like that, he said.

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REV. G. R. EASTER

Rev. G. R. Easter Vice-President Of Baptist Union

Baptist Union of Western Canada at its annual convention at Saskatoon Wednesday elected Rev. G. R. Easter of the First Baptist Church, Victoria, as first vice-president. Mrs. L. R. McDonald of Winnipeg was re-elected president. The union this year will send 18 new missionaries, the largest number the Baptist Church has sent abroad in a single year, it was reported at the meeting. They are all under appointment to India.

Retirement Regulations Changed

OTTAWA (CP)—Changes in retiring leave regulations for civil servants were announced Tuesday by the civil service commission.

Effective July 1, retiring leave is to be supplanted by a cash gratuity in the case of all voluntary separations, mainly resignations. In the case of involuntary separations, such as retirements on account of age, ill health or layoff, this change will not become effective until August 1, 1957.

Another change will provide uniformity in the scale of retiring leave or gratuity for both permanent and temporary civil servants. Temporary employees with less than five years' service now will be eligible for the same amount of leave or gratuity as permanent employees.

The commission turned over to government departments the authority to grant retiring leave or gratuity.

Vancouver Constable Nabs Murder Suspect

VANCOUVER (CP)—Cecil Terry, 41, will appear in court here today to hear a charge of murder formally read against him.

Terry was arrested on a city street less than 24 hours after his 38-year-old wife Catherine, mother of five, died in hospital from multiple brain injuries.

She was found brutally beaten at the Terry home Monday, and never regained consciousness.

Police believe a heavy hammer they are holding as evidence was used to inflict the crushing blows.

Terry was nabbed by a beat constable and after a short scuffle was taken into custody, handcuffed to a detective.

He had registered under an assumed name at a downtown hotel, police reported.

Police said that following his court appearance, it will probably be a week before the case

Alcan Fires Double-Union Representative

VANCOUVER (CP)—Aluminum Company of Canada has fired a union organizer for the United Steel Workers of America (USWA) who infiltrated the new Kitimat project as a member of another union, it was learned here Wednesday.

Until his expulsion Saturday by union members, Wally Ross, formerly of Toronto, was leader of the AFL Aluminum Workers, "Irregularities in employment application papers" was the company's reason for dismissing Ross from his laborer's job.

Now, Ross has challenged the Aluminum Workers for a certification vote in the Kitimat plant, for Alcan's 450 employees.



Rossland Man Guilty Of Reckless Driving

NELSON (CP)—William Butorac of Rossland was convicted on a reduced charge of reckless driving in supreme court here.

The charge arose from the death last November of Mrs. Elsie Turner, killed on the Trail-Fruitvale highway near Beaver Falls when she was struck by a car driven by Butorac.

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PIYA Regatta At Bellingham

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Highlight of next week's yachting will be the Pacific International Yachting Association regatta at Bellingham.

A class—Lalanga II, R. V. James; Buccaneer III, R. A. Wallace.

C class—Seaside, Jack Gann; Dragon class—Two Bits, Jorgen Baess; Heather, W. G. McIntosh.

Stars—Aquila, Pete Townshend; Moonraker, Gordon Inglis; Duz, Pete Thompson.

Lighthings—Rania, Spencer Davies; Pukeko, Roy Murdoch; Frolie, Fred Packford; Ripples, Ward Stephens; Axel F. T. Gardner; Hawk, Bob Smith; Venture, George Humeston; Bacchanal, Ed Flanagan.

Snipes—Klatawa, Ken Gibbard; Venture, P. Girard; Ishkoodah, Lyle Russell; Copella, A. Cochrane; Restless, D. Dann.

PIONEER ROADS
In 1880 a total of 16 railway companies operated 1,800 miles in Canada with wood-burning locomotives.

Colquhoun Funeral Monday; Was Noted Mining Engineer

Funeral services will be held Monday at 3 p.m. at Hayward's Chapel for James Colquhoun, a distinguished mining and metallurgical engineer, who died in Victoria last week aged 96 years.

He came to Victoria eight years ago and lived in retirement at the Empress Hotel. Miss Lillias W. Colquhoun, 1035 Clare, is a niece and only relative in Victoria.

Born in Ireland in 1857 and educated in Scotland, Mr. Colquhoun came to America as a young man and as a mining engineer began his career in the copper mines of Clifton, Arizona. He worked with low-grade ore and achieved results which placed him in the front rank as a metallurgist and made him an authority in his field.

He was president of the Arizona Copper Co. and Arizona-New Mexico Railway Co. and shortly after the turn of the century retired from those positions because of ill health and returned to England to take up residence.

RUSSIAN INTERLUDE

During the First World War he was sent to Russia by the British government to take over management of the copper mines with a view to increasing the output of copper, at that time in short supply.

He was caught in the revolution and his book "Adventures in Red Russia" gives an interesting account of conditions there at the time. He was the author of several books printed for private circulation only.

Mr. Colquhoun was keenly interested in all sports during his stay here. Two of his grandsons have played on Victoria cricket fields. He is survived by a brother, J. Clifton Colquhoun, in England, five grand-children and two great-grand-children, nephews and nieces. Mr. Colquhoun was the oldest member of the Union Club here and was a member of the Legion of Honor of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers.

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Credit Unions' Health Plan Thrown Open

TRAIL, B.C. (CP)—A major policy change announced Wednesday at the opening sessions of the 1954 convention of B.C. credit unions.

The change in policy affects the credit union and co-operative health services society which now will be open to the general public. The medical health plan was formerly restricted to credit union members in B.C. and at present has 30,000 members enrolled in the plan. The membership in the society's health ranks it second only to the Medical Services Association plan in medical insurance coverage.

Tom Wiltshire, general manager of the health services made the policy change announcement which was unanimously adopted by the 400 delegates to the three-day convention.

BIG BIRD

Largest of Canadian grebe species, the western grebe is about the size of a large duck.

RETIREMENT RUMORED—There was speculation in Montreal today that the city's perennial chief magistrate, Camille Houde, plans to retire. It was prompted by the appointment of Houde's diminutive bodyguard, Jacques Lambert, to a post in the city's purchasing and stores department. Houde has been mayor of Montreal for 18 years, with a break during the Second World War when he was interned for telling Montrealers to refuse to comply with national registration regulations. On retirement Houde will draw a \$12,000-a-year pension.

Driver Escapes Runaway Truck Near Rossland

TRAIL, B.C. (CP)—A Windsor, Ont., truck driver escaped injury Wednesday when his auto-laden truck raced down the Trail-Rossland highway after a brake failure and overturned in a field.

Eric May wrestled with the vehicle in an effort to avoid serious accident on this five-mile nightmare.

Damage to the truck was estimated at \$1,000 and four new cars on the transporter were also damaged.

Eye-witnesses praised driver May for his courage in avoiding possible death to children in a nearby school yard. Fred McCallum, also of Windsor, a passenger in the truck, escaped with only a few cuts over an eye.

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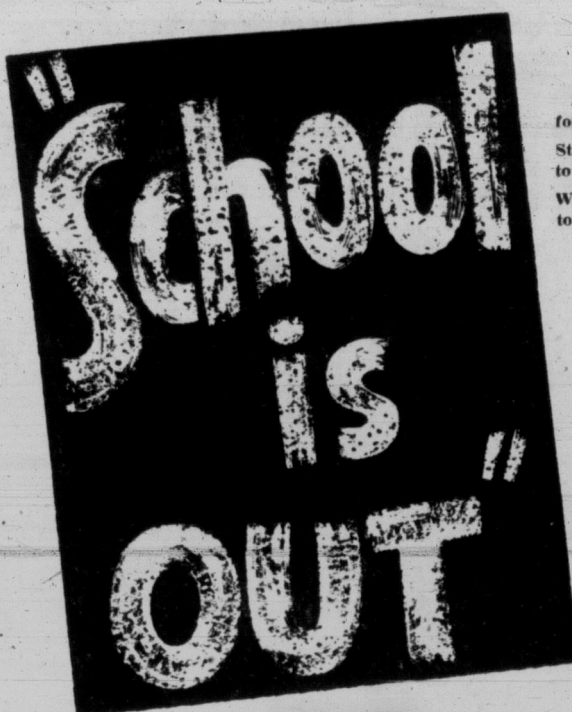
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Fun for boys and girls... Famous Magician

BILOU Starting at 10 a.m. Friday, in the Douglas Room, 3rd floor . . . Here's all-day fun for everyone . . . See feats of magic, spectacular displays, mysterious illusions that test your eyes, and your judgment, by BILOU, master magician! Shows at 10 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 2 p.m. and 3.30 p.m. Admission is FREE!



Have a free pony ride!

Starting in the BAY parking lot at 10 o'clock, Friday! Mother will have to bring you down after you've picked up your ticket in the children's wear, 2nd; boys' wear, main; sporting goods, 3rd.

500 free swimming tickets

to the Crystal Garden pool! If you are under 15 years of age and if Mom or Dad brings you down to the sporting goods department, 3rd; children's wear, 2nd, or boys' wear, main, you can have a FREE ticket to the Crystal with any purchase.

Free cokes and donuts!

While they last! Delicious fresh iced donuts in the Douglas Room, 3rd . . . Then Mom can bring you down to pick up that frosty coke in the Olympic Room, lower main.

Name the puppy

Here's your chance to give a name . . . and a home to a cute little puppy, that's just asking to be loved! Remember, Mom or Dad must sign your entry blank that you pick up in the children's wear, 2nd floor.

LOOK AT THE SAVINGS you can make and the time you can save with these hard-wearing, easy-to-care-for clothes for girls and boys!

For hard-playing youngsters, jeans with double seat and knees . . .

Your youngsters won't go through the seat and knees of these jeans in a hurry! Made of Sanforized 6½-oz. navy denim, they have a double seat and knee to take lots of hard wear. With snug-fitting boxer waist, they can be worn with or without the button-on shoulder straps. Boys' jeans have zipper front. All have roomy front and back pockets for "treasures." Sizes 2 to 6x.

Boys' cabana sets—Smart shorts and shirts of washable twill with terry collar and trim. Blue, red, yellow, navy. 4-6x. **2.98**

Sleeveless T-shirts—A cool style for hot Summer days. Terry cloth with knitted neck and waistband that won't stretch out of shape. Sizes 2, 4 and 6 in blue, green, beige, pink, red, navy and grey. **55¢**

White ankle socks—With snug elastic cuff. Made of strong cotton, they won't shrink. Sizes 7½ to 8½. Reg. 39¢ pair. Buy several pairs now and save! **25¢**

Swirling circle skirt—Every little girl wants a bright cotton skirt this Summer, and here's just the skirt Mom will like too because it's Sanforized cotton that's easily laundered. Many brilliant colors in sizes 2 to 6, 8 to 14. Each **1.98**

Every boy from 6 to 14 loves to wear comfortably cut blue jeans

They'll wear "like iron" . . . that's a boon as far as Mom is concerned, because all she has to do is to buy a pair for her young son, he'll wear them happily all Summer long. Pants are bar tacked at points of wear, have neat elastic waist. They'll cut down cleaning bills (just pop them into the washer, they'll dry quickly, need little ironing). What's more, they'll save other trousers the wear and tear of Summer-holidaying: camping trips, climbing trips, rough and tumble beach wear. Sizes 6-14.

Match cotton—T-shirts blue jeans

For wear with blue jeans pick out several striped cotton T-shirts, with firm non-stretch neckbands, comfortable short sleeves. Save yourself countless laundries—pennies! Sizes 6-14. Each **69¢**

Satin Lastex trunks—Retain their shape even after countless dunkings in the "old swimming hole." Have firm leg band, inner knit panel. Blue, red, yellow, green and black. Sizes 6-14. Pair **1.49**

Briefs and vests

Economically priced, lightweight, smooth white cotton elastic leg briefs and shoulder-strap vests that are cool, comfortable to wear. Sizes 6-14. Slight flaws. **39¢**

Baseball caps—Protect your boy's eyes from the sun . . . He'll like to wear this felt cap that's just like a "big leaguer's." Small, medium, large. Each **49¢**

Washable sailini - blue denim shorts

Now the weather's nice, it's time to get a tan . . . You'll add to yours by wearing a pair of cool, cuffed denim shorts with waist and side lacing, zipper closing . . . What's more, they're easy to wash, a joy to iron, and flattering to wear. 12 to 18. Pair **2.49**



Glamor pants—Sailcloth pedal pushers that fit where they should . . . really make the most of a good figure! Wonderfully washable, these green, grey, red or blue knee-length pushers are cool, comfortable, cross-stitched in white at side and back pocket. 12-18. Pair **5.95**

Sleeveless T-shirts—Give you easier washing, quicker ironing, a smarter appearance . . . Smooth figure-flattering cotton interlock comes in buttercup yellow, cloud white, sky blue. Small, medium, large. Each **1.95**

Batwing T-shirts—Of cuddly terry towelling, or silky soft cotton these glamorous pull-ons can be worn with shorts, slacks, skirts, pedal pushers. Color fast and non-shrinkable. Choose yours now for vacation fun! White and pastels. S.M.L. Each **1.95**

Turtle-neck T-shirts—With new zipper front that makes them quick and easy to get in or out of . . . Cool cotton won't shrink or fade when washed, is faster to dry, needs little ironing. Small, medium, large. Each **2.95**



More Summer fun on a C.C.M.

Provides endless hours of fun and "exploration!" Bike has 26-inch wheel for easier pedalling, foot brakes, all-metal frames in dazzling azure blue. Girls' and boys' models. **59.95**

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Black or brown oxfords, white or brown boot, black patent leather and white leather strap styles. For play or dress-up occasion, there's nothing better than a pair of skilfully constructed shoes with Goodyear welts, Neolite soles! 8-3. Pair **4.99**

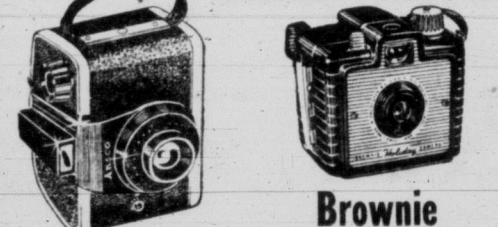
Baby's leather boots—They'll fit your tot's foot snugly and comfortably . . . are just right for those growing feet! Soft, pliable leather uppers, assorted colors, composition soles 2-6. Pair **1.99**

Canvas oxfords—For wear down to the beach, outdoor playing . . . Cool, comfortable blue canvas oxfords with rubber soles. Sizes 4-3. Pair **1.99**

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Boys' faded blue slacks

and matching denim jackets! Easy to wash, to iron, comfortable and good looking to wear . . . your boy will love to get a set! Sizes 6-16. Special, each **2.39**

For boys! Cotton shirts

Colorful, Sanforized short-sleeve shirts that no boy has enough of during the Summer wear. Stock up now while they're at this really low price! Sizes 6-14. Special, each **99¢**

IN VICTORIA, IT'S THE BAY WHERE THERE'S ALWAYS PLENTY OF PARKING SPACE!

Sooke Contest Winner May Be Second Generation Baby

Annual All-Sooke Day on the Sooke River flats, to be held Saturday, July 24, once again will feature the Victoria Daily Times baby show.

This trophy was first donated in 1934, when the first large-scale All-Sooke Day was held.

Interest has never lagged since, and close to 60 sturdy, healthy youngsters are entered in the show each year.

Two well-known personalities always will be remembered in connection with the show. Dr. Russell B. Robertson, Victoria, judged all but the first few shows, retiring after the 1951 event.

Mrs. M. Robertson, Saseen, had charge of arrangements for the first show, and was convener every year following until her death.

Mrs. R. G. Nixon, member of the Sooke School District health board and of Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute, had charge of the show in 1952 and last year, and will be convener again this year.

Early winners of the Times Trophy have married, and sponsors of the event look forward to seeing a victory for a second generation Sooke baby.

Winners of the Times award for the best baby in the show, and honors as best Sooke baby, were Anne Elizabeth Leiper and Heather Butler, respectively in 1953. In 1952 the winners were Walter Humphreys and Herme Koolman, and in 1951 Gordon Blow and Kenneth Essery led the field.

Premier Blamed For Strike Talk

Carney Confirms Unrest In B.C. Civil Service

The head of the 2,300-member Victoria local of the B.C. Government Employees' Association (TLC) today charged Premier W. A. C. Bennett with being primarily responsible for "growing unrest" and talk of strike action within the organization.

Victoria branch secretary Hiram Carney said the "unrest" is due to "the lack of co-operation on the part of the government, and the cabinet's refusal to hear association job grievances and wage demands."

"I am not blaming the ministers," he said. "The trouble seems to be with the fountain-head."

Mr. Carney confirmed a report which appeared in the Times Wednesday quoting association president Carl Hauck as saying several branches have demanded the executive take an immediate strike vote.

"What he (Mr. Hauck) said is true right down the line," he said.

SWORN TO SECRECY

However, Mr. Carney said all executives of the civil servants union had been "sworn to secrecy" on negotiations with the government. "What irritates me is that the rest of us kept that secrecy. I don't like to be tongue-tied, and have my members phone to ask me why I haven't told them these things," he said.

Mr. Carney said that if Mr. Hauck spoke "without authority" he would ask for his resignation at a vital executive meeting slated for July 2.

The meeting was called to discuss Premier Bennett's statement last week that meetings between the association's grievance committee and the cabinet were discontinued "because certain people in the association were playing politics."

"ALL WASHED UP" Mr. Carney also revealed that R. K. Gervin, vice-president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, who met the premier on June 10 in an attempt to soothe the ruffled feelings between the cabinet and the association, was told that "things are all washed up."

The association executive was unable to accept this, and has asked Mr. Gervin to see the premier again to confirm the government stand.

This second meeting still has not been held.

IGNORED BY CABINET

The government has ignored repeated association requests for a meeting on piled up job grievances and wage demands since the last meeting was held in January, 1953.

Said Mr. Carney: "Former governments met with us. We didn't always win, but most of the time we did after they heard what we wanted."

"We can't get through to this government," he said.

The Victoria union head also charged that some association requests lodged with the Civil Service Commission, the government-appointed board which administers the Civil Service Act, have been approved by the commission, but "filed with the cabinet where they die."

WANT THREE-MAN BOARD

Mr. Carney said the association has been fighting for almost three years to get the government to bring the Civil Service Commission up to full strength.

"The commission hasn't been functioning as required by the act since Mr. Griffith (E. W. Griffith, B.C.'s deputy minister of welfare) resigned," he said.

"Under the act, the Civil Service Commission is to be made up of three members. For three years the work has been done by deputy finance minister J. V. Fisher and chairman Dr. H. Morrison."

Association of United Ukrainian Canadians will hold their annual concert Sunday at 8 p.m. at Kings Road Hall. A colorful program of folk dancing, vocal and orchestral numbers has been arranged.

Road Builders' Group Hires Baldwin, Former LRB Head

Col. D'Arcy J. Baldwin, recently resigned chairman of B.C. Labor Relations Board, has been appointed manager-secretary of Road Builders and Heavy Construction Association of B.C.

President Hugh A. Martin made the announcement today. He replaces Maj. Gen. John Peter MacKenzie, holder of the post for six years, who now becomes technical advisor to the association.

Col. Baldwin retired as chairman of B.C. Labor Relations Board, June 16, after holding that position since January 1, 1951. Prior to then he was B.C. superintendent, Veterans' Land Act.

Prior to and following Second World War, he was advertising and later business manager of the Chilliwack Progress. Since 1950 he has been a member of the board of governors of the University of British Columbia.

Col. Baldwin has done considerable work for the Chilliwack Valley Emergency Flood Committee, of which he was chairman in 1948, and subsequently commissioner of the Fraser Valley Rehabilitation Authority in 1948 and 1949.

MARTIN SAYS BCHS CHANGE WELL RECEIVED

People throughout B.C. are now "satisfied how provincial hospital insurance is financed," Health Minister Eric Martin told the Old Age Pensioners Organization convention here today.

He was speaking of the 2 per cent sales tax boost passed at the last legislative session, replacing direct hospital insurance payments.

The government, he said, was "constantly aware of the requirements of senior citizens," and illustrating this point was the \$5 hike in the cost of living bonus now being paid old age pensioners.

Of his department's \$27,500,000 health and welfare budget this year, one dollar in every three was going to old age pension payments, he said.

Local Jaycees Win Honors at Regina Parley

The Hamilton, Junior Chamber of Commerce took top honors at the chambers' national convention at Regina today, winning four of the 26 national awards.

Hamilton captured first prize for outstanding chamber in cities over 50,000 population, the membership trophy, public speaking and the French-speaking project. The city also placed second in leadership training, social welfare and outstanding project of the year.

Toronto was runner-up in national awards, claiming the trophies for social welfare and membership assimilation. Victoria took first place in the government and civic affairs divisions while the municipal improvement trophy went to Wallaceburg, Ont.

The Brooks, Alta., chamber won the public relations trophy. Kitchener, Ont., won prizes for traffic safety and publications.

Island BCE Post For Norman Hall

Appointed supervisor of the dealer services section of the B.C. Electric on Vancouver Island, is R. Norman Hall. He has been with the company 23 years in appliance merchandising roles.

Big Water Project Benefits 5,000 Saanich Householders

Over 5,000 homes in Saanich will benefit from a large waterworks project now almost completed, it was reported today by H. D. Dawson, municipal engineer.

A 10-inch water main nearly three miles in length has been laid down from Shelbourne Street to Ten Mile Point and will soon be in working order, Mr. Dawson said.

The main will improve the water pressure in Gordon Head, Cadboro Bay and Ten Mile Point, three districts which have complained in the past of lack of sufficient water.

The project is the largest item on the \$185,000 Waterworks By-Law which ratepayers approved in a referendum last December.

Saanich work crews began laying down the water main in May and early this week linked up with a water pipe on Tudor Avenue. It took over 15,000 feet of pipe to complete the project.

Workers will now begin laying down tributary pipes from this main which will provide hundreds of additional homes with better water pressure. This part of the scheme will not take long to complete.

Meanwhile, the Saanich public works department is waiting for equipment to start its waterworks project in the "pan-handle" and the Mount Tolmie districts. Most of this area is fed by one-inch pipes, which is inadequate for the large number of homes in these two districts.

ASK THE TIMES

Q.—Can you tell me what city in Canada is officially known as the "Garden City of Canada?"

P. R. M.

A.—No city is on the map as "Garden City of Canada." To be official, and thus to have a place on the map, all place names in Canada must be approved by the Geographic Board of Canada. The name of this city which has its approval is Victoria. Perhaps what you have in mind is a resolution of the city council, passed in May, 1949. It had been proposed by the parks administrator that "in view of the fact that Portland, Oregon, is known as the 'City of Roses' and Seattle as 'The City of Flowers,' that Victoria be called 'The City of Gardens' for the reason that such a wide variety of plants are grown here and that no particular variety of flower is featured, etc., etc." The city council's declaration thus became an official local statement descriptive of Victoria, but the approval of the Geographic Board of Canada makes Victoria the official name of this city.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the problem along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times." Questions and answers will be published daily. All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums.

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BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

Our photographers are experts at head and shoulder portraits. . . . Without the head.

A little of everything and not much of anything:

News brief the other day said: "New contract between B.C. Electric and Street Railwaymen's Union . . . likely will be signed within a week of 10 days."

That's what we need for these long-drawn-out labor disputes. A 10-day week.

Speaking of labor disputes, I see where the provincial civil servants are talking strike.

This is unfair to the Sooke government. The only thing it hoped to strike was oil.

Here's one businessman who refuses to hide behind the skirts of his switchboard operator.

He was involved in a long conversation with a long-winded acquaintance the other day when suddenly, the line went dead.

A few seconds later, his phone rang again, and his acquaintance said: "Guess your operator cut us off."

"The hell she did," said our businessman. "I hung up."

Whereupon, he hung up again.

(The above was stolen by hand from Thomas Richard Henry of the Toronto Telegram).

Wally Gray of the Saanich recreation council wants us all to know what happened at the meeting when the various softball teams chose their club colors.

The Oak Street Park Club, sponsored by the Inside Postal Workers, was sixteenth on the list.

"There don't seem to be many colors left," the Postie representative said, mournfully. "Guess we'll have to take chartruese and lavender."

What, no old lace?

I am glad the strike has been settled, at least insofar as use of the Ross Bay Cemetery is concerned. Victoria could get along without many things. But we need all our cemeteries.

Norm Pringle, the "DA disc jockey who rides Western style, found himself slightly confused the other evening when called upon to read an advertisement for a certain motion picture.

What came out of the other end of the microphone was: "Gentlemen prefer blondes at regular prices."

But Norm made up for it the next time he hit the same commercial. He said: "Gentlemen prefer blondes with selected shorts."

(Nothing personal, I trust. Norm's to-be-of next month is a brunette).

With reference to yesterday's effort, Bill Walker says any fool can break the 60-second minute.

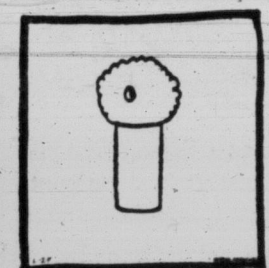
All you do is adjust the little jigger at the back of your watch, moving it to "fast."

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

City policemen converged on the Hudson's Bay Company store just after 11 p.m. Wednesday when a burglar alarm jangled. They found a 16-year-old youth leaning against a sensitive revolving door.

Lands and Forests Minister R. E. Sommers is attending a meeting of the Pacific Northwest Governor's Power Policy Committee today in Spokane. The meeting is one of a series on development plans for Columbia River hydro-power.

DROODLES



(See title below)

This Droodle is not meant to be disrespectful to beer, which in my opinion has saved many marriages from going on the rocks. I'll explain. Take a group of average husbands after a hard day's work. They are surly, tired, filled with hostility and antagonism. If they went directly home they would cause their wives, who are also tired, surly, etc. Instead, these men stop at a tavern and have several glasses of beer. In no time at all they are shouting, shoving at each other and engaging in fist fights. In this way they get rid of all their tensions and hostilities and by the time they get home they are too stupefied to answer back—so their wives can get rid of their hostilities by giving them what-for and abusing them both verbally and physically to their heart's content. It works out fine that way.

GLASS OF BEER WITH A

Members of Victoria Truth Centre, 1201 Fort, Wednesday night burned a five-year-old mortgage on their building, commemorating final payment made last month.

The church, located on two acres of land near Craigdarroch Castle, is nearly 100 years old, and is the former home of the family of Sir Henry Crease, B.C.'s first attorney-general.

For the first time since 1946 divorces in the city show a definite decline, Supreme Court Registry revealed today.

Since January 1, a total of 75 divorce cases have been heard by the Victoria Supreme Court, as compared with over 100 in 1953. Most of the cases involved local residents.

Divorces granted since the start of the year are as follows: January, six; February, nine; March, 12; April, 14; May, 19; and June to date, 15.

Conviction of Jack Raoul Cloutier of Victoria on a theft charge has been quashed by the court of appeal in Vancouver.

Cloutier was sentenced by Judge J. B. Clearbue in County Court here April 21 to six months for theft of \$250 diamond ring belonging to Mrs. Edith Burkmar of Dencross Terrace, Saanichton.

The accused said he found the ring on Easter Sunday last year in the Burkmar garden where he was a guest of George Percy Burkmar.

Sentencing of two young city boxers charged with obstruction and assault of police officers in a wild melee in a Fisgard Street cafe May 25, was adjourned in city court today to Friday.

Convicted of assaulting police sergeant John Mason and obstructing Constable John Riebery, was Edward Robertson, about 22. His younger brother, Wayne Robertson, 25, Vancouver, made a last-minute change of plea to guilty on a charge of obstructing Sergeant Mason.



OAP Rally Starts Here

Because this is her 57th birthday, Mrs. E. M. Fraser, of Port Alberni, received a corsage at this forenoon's opening session of the Old Age Pensioners' Organization of B.C. two-day convention in Eagles Hall. Corsage was pinned on by 80-year-old E. A. Griffin, of Peace Park, near White Rock, OAPO provincial secretary. Mrs. Fraser—a volunteer worker, not a pensioner—is president of OAPO Vancouver Island Council and second vice-president of the B.C. organization. (Times photo.)

PENSIONER BLAMES 'BUSINESS'

Social-Aid Advances Seen Blocked by CMA

The Canadian Manufacturers' Association and "other big interests maintain a powerful lobby at both Ottawa and Victoria that oppose every effort to increase the amount to be spent on social services," it was charged here today.

E. A. Griffin, Peace Park, near White Rock, provincial secretary of the 6,000-member Old Age Pensioners Organization of B.C., was speaking at the opening session of a two-day convention of the OAPO at the Eagles Home. There are 69 delegates attending from many parts of the province.

Mr. Griffin did not elaborate on his statement.

He was also critical of the Senior Citizens Association of B.C., active in Vancouver, and said that during the past year this group had carried on a "very active and unscrupulous campaign of lies and misrepresentation" designed to hurt the OAPO organization.

The OAPO, he said, had spent a great deal of time the past year "in combating endeavors of these people to disrupt and destroy our organization." Five branches had been lost to the Senior Citizens Association, he said.

He reported the provincial government had given assurance it was studying provision of free hearing aid, dental care and optical services to old age pensioners.

NEW VI BRANCH

"The Vancouver Island Council has continued to prove its worth. Island branches (nine) continue to grow and one new branch has been formed at Combs which already has 35 members," the secretary continued.

Resolutions to be considered by delegates today dealt mostly with pension increases. Victoria branch No. 5 urged the social welfare department to ask municipalities to cover cost of ambulance services as "the present charge of \$8 is far beyond the means of the average pensioner." The Victoria group also asked that chiropractors be given the same recognition as medical doctors. This was asked because "chiropractors can be called in to-day on recommendation of a medical doctor, which is not very good, as the medical profession do not recognize the same."

Branch No. 5 also asked that the federal government be asked to increase basic pension of \$40 monthly to pensioners entirely dependent on this sum who because of living costs "are deprived of the necessities of life."

Duncan branch resolved that the government be asked to raise pensions to those over 65 years to \$70 monthly as "the people who are living on a pension of \$60 a year have to pay the same price for their commodities as our members of parliament who get at least \$10,000 a year." The branch also asked that chronically ill persons be covered under provincial health insurance free of cost.

It resolved further that the Senior Citizens Association and the OAPO "work together harmoniously to get as many members as possible organized."

North Burnaby branch resolved that the B.C. government be asked to increase the allowable income for old age pensioners to \$1,500 a year for single persons and \$2,000 a year for married.

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The "DE's" are USS Nickel, Grady, and George A. Johnson. The landing craft are known only by official numbers.

6-Ship US Fleet Arrives

1,500 Officers And Men in City

United States Navy reservists totaling 1,500 officers and men steamed into Esquimalt Harbor shortly before noon today as Victoria prepared a warm welcome for her south-of-the-border friends and allies.

The US sailors came in an impressive six-ship fleet, of three sleek destroyer escorts and three beamy, work-horse Landing Ships, Tank.

The contingent, one of the largest of USN reservists ever to visit this port, includes 500 officers and 1,000 men. They are on an operational training cruise as part of the summer reserve training program.

The fleet attracted wide attention along the waterfront as it manoeuvred in Royal Roads for more than 30 minutes before steaming, line ahead, past Dunst Head and alongside jeties at the Royal Canadian Navy's base in Esquimalt Harbor.

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5c Wage Boost For Workers on Rocky Pt. Job

Another wage increase on the "nickel pattern" has been awarded 60 employees of the Bennett and White Construction Co. Ltd., involved in the Rocky Point naval-construction project. It was reported today.

Earl B. Allen, business agent for the Building Construction and General Laborers' Union, Local 1093, said a 1954-55 contract was signed by union and company officials Wednesday. The new contract to run from April 1, this year to May 31, 1955, gives all employees a five-cent hourly wage boost.

Basic pay rate for a general laborer on this project will be \$1.60 an hour with higher rates in other categories as follows: power buggy operators, \$1.65; mixers, road and highway, \$1.70; mixers, building and heavy construction, \$1.75; jack-hammermen and breakermen, \$1.76; powdermen, \$1.90 and rock foremen, \$2.00.

Sea-Going Gals From Portland Visit Victoria

Nineteen pretty girl mariners in bright blue sailor middie-blue skirts and black ties are in town today, off the 72-foot ketch "Night Witch," from Portland, Ore.

The girls are members of girl scout marine troops from Portland and their vessel docked in the Inner Harbor shortly before noon.

The girls range in age between 14 and 17 years and are members of three girl scout "ships" in Portland: "Flying Cloud," "Hornet" and "Yankee Clipper."

They'll see Victoria and shop today, leaving early Friday for home. Skipper of the "Night Witch" is Munro, Peaslee of Seattle.

TODAY'S GARDEN HINT

Soak Window Box Displays Every Day

Window boxes were always an attraction to me, but my first attempt at using them was a failure.

The greatest single cause of a poor display, so I discovered, is insufficient water. When in full sun, window boxes need soaking every day. If the soil becomes dried out, water will flow from the drainage holes and cracks almost as soon as applied, but once dry, the trouble is difficult to overcome. Soaking it will not moisten the soil. In a trough of water would be ideal, but a large window box is not easily moved around.

One solution to the difficulty is to loosen the soil between the plants. Insert short lengths of water-pipe to one-half the depth of the soil, and let the hose trickle into the pipe for an hour or more. Several lengths of pipe

may be used in a box, or one piece moved from place to place until all the soil is moistened.

Sometimes it is necessary to put temporary plugs into the drainage holes and wedge paper into wide cracks so as to retain the water within the box.

Any garden soil is not suitable to window box work. A good loam kept open with sufficient sand, and combined

with high proportion of humus to hold moisture, is required. Fertilizer must be added because many plants will be feeding within a small area.

Other causes of poor results include the use of shade-loving plants in full sun, and tender-foliage plants in windy locations. But lack of water is more often responsible than the choice of wrong material.

By JACK BEASTALL

Housewives! Use a Mix When You Make Frosting

By PENNY SAVER

A fluffy, egg-white frosting is one of the most difficult things to make. Mine always turns out so runny that it ends up in a great pool around the base of the cake, and I end up in a great temper. I once swore that I'd never try to make it again.

But I've changed my tune now that I've discovered the new, seven-minute frosting mix. "Just add water and whip," that's what it says on the packet. So I did. And I'm glad.

The directions are easy, but important. For, although you "just add water and whip" you must first make certain that all utensils are free from grease. And you must use just the right amount of water.

The mix contains egg whites, sugar, stabilizer and artificial flavor. For pretty party colorings, add food color to the mix.

Here's an idea. When you've made the frosting, separate it into several sections. Color each part a different shade, then combine them in swirls on the cake. A rainbow cake like this would be very festive.

Believe me, I've tried this new frosting and it is nothing short of being wonderful. It is so fluffy and smoo-o-th that it seems to slip down like whipped cream, yet it is firm enough to hold the peaks that make this type of icing so attractive.

Well, folks, there won't be a "Penny Saver" column for a few days. Reason is that Penny Saver is taking off for California. Yep, I'm going to bask in the sun and spend all my money foolishly before I come back to you, and tell you how to save yours.

California, here I come!

AS WE LIVE

Differences in Backgrounds Sometimes Prevent Romance

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK, PhD

Parents can sometimes put obstacles in the path of their son's romance and make things complicated for him. When this happens, the best thing for the girl to do is to step out of the picture. A girl writes:

(Q) "I am very fond of a boy I met recently. Two weeks after I met him, he asked me to go to a party at his home. He has two very nice parents and they live in the ultra-exclusive section of town. Then I asked him to go to a dance at the school I go to. He goes to a private school. I had the most wonderful time at that dance and he seemed to enjoy it, too. But it has been three weeks since that dream night and he hasn't even called me. My best girl friend is planning to have a party and she wants me to invite this boy. Do you think that is proper or is the next move up to him? My friend has threatened to invite him, even though she doesn't know him, and tell him to call me for the details. What shall I do?"

(A) Tell your friend you will be very angry if she invites this boy to her party unless you hear from him and he says he would like to go. She might make a very embarrassing situation for you and this you certainly do not want.

The last time you met, this boy was your guest. It is now his turn to invite you, or certainly to call you and tell you what a good time he had at your school dance. If you invite him again, without hearing from him, it could certainly be interpreted as "chasing after him."

Has it ever occurred to you that even if his parents are very nice people, they might be a trifle snobbish and feel that they did not want their son to go with a girl who does not go to a private school or live in the ultra-fashionable neighborhood they live in?

This may be a blow to you but you must face facts and be realistic about them. Some parents feel that a son must be "selective" about the girls he goes with. This boy's parents may have felt that he was seeing too much of you and they tried to break it up. Otherwise, what possible explanation can there be for this long silence? Don't pin your hopes on this boy until you see how things work out.

PTA NOTES

Royal Oak High—F. W. Webb was elected president of Royal Oak Junior-Senior High School PTA at annual meeting. Other officers are: L. Schmeltz, past president; R. S. Price, honorary president; W. Bosher, vice-president; Mrs. M. Andrews, secretary; Mrs. E. Noonan, corresponding secretary; G. Macham, treasurer; Mrs. G. Ward, publicity and historian; M. Connor, program; Mrs. F. W. Webb, literature; Mrs. R. G. MacDonald, hospitality; Mrs. A. Cuthbert, membership. Program following the business meeting included a fashion show staged by home economics classes and a display of industrial arts.

View Royal—Mrs. D. McTavish opened the successful tea held by View Royal PTA recently. Conveners were Mrs. E. J. Blunt and Mrs. G. Hogg. A home cooking-ale and interesting program presented by pupils of the school were features of the afternoon.

Successful Project

A successful silver tea and sale was held recently at Open Door Spiritualist Church, Cook Street. Mrs. M. MacBratney and Mrs. G. MacCullum welcomed members—and guests—and a musical program of vocal selections was presented by Mrs. K. MacKay and Margaret MacCullum, accompanied by Mrs. M. Watson at the piano. Stalls included home cooking in charge of Mrs. E. Silverwood, Mrs. L. Caton and Mrs. B. MacDonald and fancywork and plants in charge of Mrs. Watson.

In Parade

Members of LOBA and juveniles will meet at the Cenotaph, Esquimalt Road, to take part in the Orangemen's parade commencing at 2:30 Sunday. The Salvation Army Band will be in attendance.



by Anne Adams

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Club Women's News

Help VON—At recent meeting of Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter, IOOE, \$20 was voted for cod liver oil for the VON. Mrs. H. W. S. Soulsby, Empire and World Affairs convener, spoke on Conservation of Life. A tea will be held on Tuesday at 2:45 p.m. at the home of Mrs. H. D. Parizeau, 935 Richmond Road.



Early July Wedding Day

Of interest is the announcement made by Mrs. Margaret E. Pike telling of the engagement of her elder daughter, Margaret Ursula Mary, to Dr. Alfred Livingstone Ogilvie of Seattle, only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Ogilvie of Vancouver. The marriage will take place at St. John's Anglican Church, Victoria, on Saturday, July 17, at 3 o'clock. Miss Pike, who is the granddaughter of Mrs. A. B. Cotton, 990 Terrace Avenue, is a graduate of the University of British Columbia, where she was affiliated with Delta Gamma Sorority. Dr. Ogilvie attended the University of British Columbia and is a graduate of the University of Toronto. (Photo by Whitefoot.)

Turnabout Tea

A new twist to the social ceremony of afternoon tea is being planned by committees of Church of Our Lord for a summer party being held Saturday in the church hall, corner of Blanshard and Humboldt Streets from 3 to 5. Men of the congregation will take over in the kitchen and serving departments and pass teas, sandwiches and cakes to the ladies and other guests. There will be a silver collection with proceeds to the rectory fund.

Before buying one of the broad-brimmed hats that are headed for summer popularity, consider your figure as well as your face. When trying on the hats, look at yourself in a floor-length mirror. In general, these hats look well only on tall women. However, a woman of medium height, who is very slim, may also wear them well.

Review Editor a Speaker At Social Work Conference

TORONTO—Norman Cousins, editor of the Saturday Review, will be one of the principal speakers at the International Conference of Social Work which begins here June 27, and ends July 2.

Although only 39, Mr. Cousins is the author of many articles and books that have won international acclaim. He is considered an outstanding expert on Far Eastern politics, welfare and technical assistance programs. Among his outstanding works are: "Talks With Nehru", "Who Speaks for Many" and "Modern Man in Obscure".

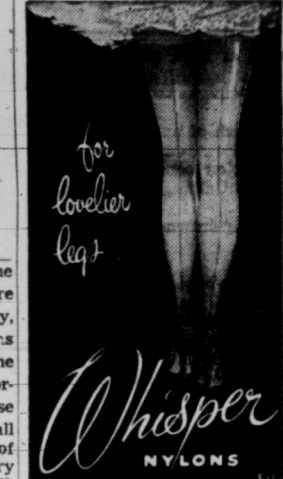
Included among other world personalities taking leading roles at the conference are: Dr. J. F. de Jongh, director of the Amsterdam School of Social Work and formerly with the Netherlands' Ministry of Economic Affairs; Dr. Georges Des-



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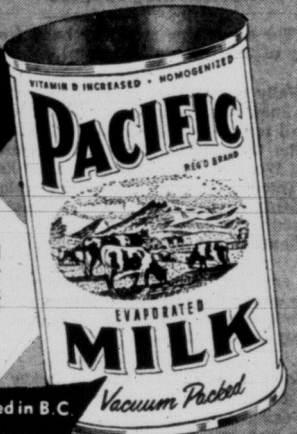


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by Byrne Hope Sanders

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Summer-Time is when we can have all the garden-fresh vegetables we want — and oh! but how extra delicious they are when topped with BLUE BONNET MARGARINE! That's because only choice farm produce goes into the making of Blue Bonnet — pure vegetable oils and pasteurized skim milk. Marine oils are never used. This means that Blue Bonnet is tops in quality — as a spread or for any pastry, cakes or cookies. I believe you'll find Blue Bonnet De Luxe quarters handy for table or kitchen use. They slice into perfect patties and the guide on the package makes them so easy to measure for recipes. Will you order it today — and see for yourself?



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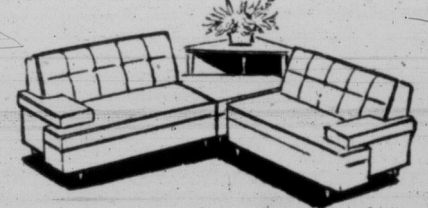
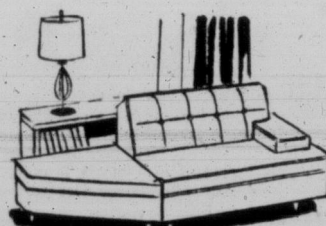
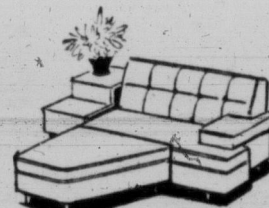
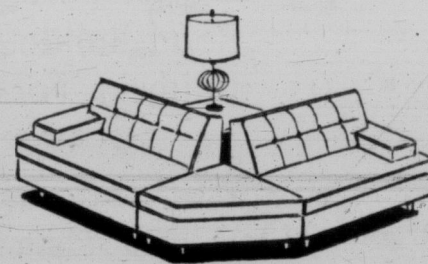
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OF PERSONAL INTEREST

To Entertain Bridal Party

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Graham, Palmer Road, will entertain Friday evening at a supper party following the wedding rehearsal, in honor of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Jean Graham, her fiancé, Dr. Kenneth E. Murchie, and their bridal attendants. Those present will be the Misses Dorothy Mosher, Sheila Murchie, Lois McLean, June Lane, and Mr. Eugene Lukens. Mr. Frank Capithorne, Mr. Brian Reid and Mr. Jack Graham.

Celebrate at Ocean Park

Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Church of Ocean Park, B.C., will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on Tuesday, January 29. They are well known in this city where Rev. Church was minister of Metropolitan United Church from 1931 to 1937. He has also preached in Toronto and Winnipeg and at present is conducting services in the United Church of Crescent Beach, B.C. A daughter, Mrs. A. E. Taylor of this city, with her three sons, David, Lance and Clint, will go to Ocean Park on Monday for the anniversary. Another daughter, Mrs. D. H. McCain with her four children will travel from Cloverdale. A son, Dr. E. J. M. Church, his wife and son, of Ottawa, will be unable to attend.

Here From Saskatchewan

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Robertson, Kincaid, Sask., are spending their holidays on Vancouver Island and are guests of Mr. Robertson's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cuthbert, Brentwood.

Party for Miss Lovick

Mrs. Keith Toll entertained at her home in Luxor Manor with a miscellaneous shower to honor Miss Norma Lovick. A rainbow container decorated in rose tones concealed the gifts, which were presented with a corsage of golden gladioli and roses. Mrs. H. Lovick, mother of the bride-elect, received a table covered with a cutwork lace cloth and centred with a bride's cake, topped with pastel flowers and embedded in peach and yellow-tulle. Pale blue candles were placed in flower-filled holders. Other guests were Mrs. L. Roberts, Mrs. C. Lovick, Mrs. G. Miles, Mrs. E. Browne, Mrs. W. Boulton, Mrs. J. Thomson, Mrs. N. Pittard, Mrs. W. Glosse, Mrs. D. J. Hayhurst, Misses Mary Lovick and Jean Thomson.

To Attend Ballet School

Miss Shirley Green left Victoria yesterday for Toronto where she will attend the Celia Franca National Ballet summer school. Miss Green, a pupil of Miss Wynne Shaw, will be in Ontario for six weeks.

Visitors Leave for Home

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grant of Vancouver were week-end guests of Mrs. Grant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McLean, Beach Drive. Another son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Knox and their son Ricki, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. McLean, left Tuesday to motor back to their home in Dryden, Ont.

Visitors Leave for East

Lieut. and Mrs. Lorne Caughill of Niagara Falls, Ont., and Miss Norma Williston of New Brunswick, have left for the east after visiting their cousin, Mrs. Stanley Horner, Leigh Road, Langford Lake. Lieut. Caughill, who was en route home from Korea, was met in Vancouver by his wife before coming to the island.

Will Attend Regatta

Mr. Harry Gladwell, commodore of Royal Victoria Yacht Club, and Mrs. Gladwell, will be among those attending the Bellingham Regatta this week-end. They will sail aboard their yacht, the Eileen G. and will be accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Middleton.

End-of-Season Party

A dinner party held recently in the Blue Room, Broad Street, concluded this season's activities of the drama group of Victoria W.I. Covers were laid for 12 and Mrs. F. S. Patterson presided. Mrs. W. Jackson and Mrs. R. C. McClellan arranged a program of games and cards and winners were Mrs. E. Anderson and Mrs. W. F. Bridge. An amusing sketch was read by Mrs. Stella Blair and Mrs. Bridge.

Goes to Vancouver

Mrs. Norman Turner left Wednesday for Vancouver to be with her daughter, Miss Norma Turner, until her marriage July 17 to Mr. Charles B. Penhall. Next Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Turner and her sister, Mrs. C. W. Reid, Vancouver, will entertain with a tea at The Dolphins in the mainland city, in honor of the bride-elect.



Dance Revue Will Aid Cerebral Palsy Group

The Florence Clough Dance Revue next Monday evening at 8, at the Royal Theatre, is being sponsored by the Cerebral Palsy Association of Lower Vancouver Island and proceeds will be used for additional equipment and maintenance of its clinic now in operation at Royal Jubilee Hospital. A trio of young dancers are pictured at the left in a colorful tap number. They are, left to right, Sharon Anderson, Gordon Callow and Coleen Payne. Young Hawaiian hula dancers at right include Gail Cooley, Rosalin Franklin, Beverley Hermiston, Pamela Keating, Mardi Campbell, Penny Warholme, and



seated in centre, Cathy Lavoie. The Cerebral Palsy Association was incorporated in 1952 and the clinic was established and went into operation in 1953. The medical staff work on a voluntary basis at the clinic, with the program co-ordinated by Dr. Murray Anderson, medical administrator at Royal Jubilee Hospital. This clinic provides initial medical examinations, re-check examinations and all types of therapy, all at no cost to the family. Financing is covered by donations, dues to the association and various money-raising projects, which are put on by the association and in which parents of patients help to organize.

SENATOR HODGES A SPEAKER

Sorority Members Now Gathering Here For a Week-Long Convention Program

National officers of Alpha Phi International arrived in Victoria late Wednesday in advance of a group of more than 350 delegates and members who will come to the city this week-end for a sorority convention that starts Sunday and continues all next week.

Already registered at the Empress Hotel are: Mrs. William F. Gregson, of Beverly Hills, Chicago, president of the sorority; Miss Doris Corbett, Evanston, Ill., secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Fred McGuire, Evanston, Ill., director of finance; Mrs. Lloyd Marshall, Hollywood, Calif., vice-president; Mrs. L. G. Butterworth, Shaker Heights, Ohio, director of public relations; Mrs. L. M. Sutton, Jr., Minneapolis, Minn., director of program; Mrs. Noel Keyes, Berkeley, Calif., director of alumnae and extension; Mrs. William H. Hutchinson, Seattle, NPC delegate; Mrs. R. S. McGurn, Oak Park, Ill., editor of the Quarterly; Mrs. Bennett L. Smith, trustee; and co-chairman of the convention; Mrs. C. H. Bell, Vancouver, B.C., and Mrs. F. J. Morrill, Seattle, Wash.

Opening banquet of the convention takes place on Sunday evening with Senator Nancy Hodges the guest speaker. A formal reception for all national officers will follow.

On Monday, a formal banquet will have Dr. G. Herbert Smith, president of Willamette University and for many years an officer in the International Fraternity Council, as guest speaker. Tuesday afternoon, the entire convention will drive to Royal Roads and that evening a colorful costume party and



Mrs. C. H. C. Bell, Vancouver, is general chairman of the convention. Co-chairman is Mrs. Frank Morrill, Seattle.

Potlatch dinner will be held. Two breakfasts are planned for honorary members, the Morning Board breakfast on Monday and a Phi Beta Kappa breakfast on Tuesday.

The membership will have a evening tour of the Butchart Gardens on Wednesday and on Thursday there will be a luncheon to honor the 25th anniversary of the establishment of Beta Theta Chapter at University of British Columbia. New officers of the fraternity will be presented at this candlelight banquet.

Friday, July 2, will see the au revoir party, with members leaving on the afternoon boats for their homes. A special train from Chicago is bringing members into Vancouver where they will board the boat on Sunday morning for Victoria. Another group from

the Southwest will arrive the same day from Seattle.

Alpha Phi has 52 college chapters, three of which are located in Canada at the Universities of British Columbia, Manitoba and Toronto. Nearly 200 alumnae groups are located throughout Canada and the United States.

CALL GOES OUT FOR CANADIAN DESIGNERS

TORONTO (CP) — Eleanor Lambert, press director of the New York Dress Institute, said Tuesday she would like to see the fashion spotlight turned on some independent Canadian designers.

French designers may still be foremost, but fashion is no longer a one-way traffic and European designers now borrow ideas from America, she said.

Octogenarian Member To Open Church Fete

Mrs. Edith Draper, an 88-year-old long-time resident of Victoria West district, will open St. Saviour's garden party Saturday at 2 p.m. Mrs. Draper, who now makes her home at Sunset Lodge, seldom misses a Sunday at the church. The affair will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Trowsdale, 889 Craigflower Road. There will be afternoon tea and a program provided by children of the district. Games for young and old, a bran dip and stalls of home cooking, kitchen utilities, novelties, candy, fruit and vegetables will be among attractions. Junior girls will sell dainty corsages.

CLUB CALENDAR

Robert Burns McMicking Chapter, IOOE, garden tea at home of Mrs. Owen Fowler, 2730 Thorpe Place, Saturday from 3 to 5 p.m. Ladies Auxiliary, Open Door Spiritualist Temple, anniversary supper and musical program at church, 1600 Cook Street, Saturday, 6:30 p.m. Third anniversary, completion of building.

National Council Will Meet in New Brunswick

FREDERICTON (CP)—Club women from many parts of Canada arrived here today for the 61st annual meeting of the National Council of Women which begins Friday at the University of New Brunswick.

More than 100 delegates are expected to attend the seven-day council meeting to study and discuss women's role in Canada's political and economic life. An objective is to plan methods of getting women appointed to the Civil Service Commission and the labor department. Another discussion topic will be the present unemployment situation.

Robert Wootton Home Scene Of Successful Guide Fete

East District Girl Guides' Local Association held a successful summer fete last Saturday, when a sum of \$300 was realized. The affair was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wootton, 1255 Victoria Avenue. Proceeds will be used to maintain the three Guide companies and the five Brownies companies. Archdeacon A. E. del. Nunn opened the party and guests were received by the president, Mrs. H. M. Newson.

District Commissioner Mrs. Keith MacDougall presented first class badges to Guides Jean Bartholomew, Janet Duke and Maxine McEure, and a house badge to Jacqueline Nichols.

East District Commissioner Mrs. F. A. Robinson presented "Golden Hands" to the following Brownies: Susan Barton, Anne MacDougall, Janice Hickman, Gail Loudon, Joan McCormick, Gilly Gerry, Jean Watt, Wendy Dalziel, Susan McMicking, Julia Reid, Susan Eathly, Sandra Smythe, Judith McKay, Linda Jones, Anne Lawson, Greta Wilcox, Linda Bergstrom, Judith Bell, Diane Freethy, Barbara Ross, Linda Peets, Gayle Oswald, Carolyn Cornish and Marion Browne.

Guides and Brownies sponsored stalls, while association members, Mrs. S. J. Crawley, Mrs. R. Scott-Moncrieff, Mrs. G. D. Tyson, Mrs. R. A. H. Lort served tea assisted by Guides.

Other profitable attractions included home-cooking under Mrs. H. E. Bull and Mrs. G.

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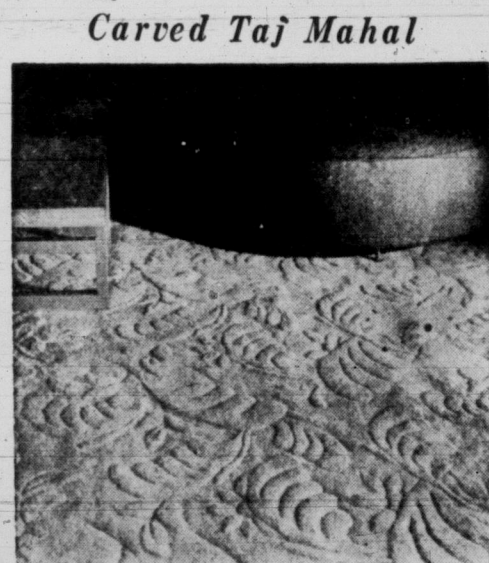


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year-old beginner with the upish smile but quick response to the fluent seniors the recital was a tribute to the method of teaching, enthusiasm and patience of Mme. Ritchie. Those taking part were: Stephen Bapty, Peter Nash, John Gregg, Roger Bapty, Gordon Nuis, Michael Clark, David Bapty, Sally Rose, Carolyn Martin, Anne Harvey, Margaret Nelson, Vivien Sanquineti, Ronald Roberts, Peter Richards and Desmond Montgomery.

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WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Going Without Breakfast Will Not Help Reducing

The controversy of whether one should eat a large breakfast or a small one goes on year after year. I recently reported results of experiments which showed that the worker who does not eat an adequate breakfast is subject to late morning

lag and is not so efficient as the one who eats a reasonable morning meal.

Many women eat little or no breakfast, thinking that this is an easy way to lose weight. Recently the college of medicine at the State University of Iowa made a study concerning the breakfast and its connection in weight loss. They found that the habit of skipping breakfast has no value in weight reduction.

They worked with two groups. One had no breakfast at all while the other had the usual breakfast of bacon and eggs. Both of these groups followed a regular reducing diet at the two other meals. Those who ate no breakfast did not

lose so rapidly as those who did a few of them in fact, gained a little weight.

We can only decide that those who missed breakfast were so hungry that they broke over at the other meals or snacked between times. It doesn't matter so far as weight reduction is concerned when you eat your meals so long as you consume only so many calories during each 24 hours. It does have an effect on your comfort while reducing, and is apt to sabotage your efforts.

Let's face it. We must settle down to daily calorie counting and we are wise if we follow the advice of those who have experience and information.

Don't make reducing a fadish activity. Eat your three well-balanced meals a day with your glass of skim milk or buttermilk or juice at mid-afternoon and before going to sleep at night. Learn to cut out the trimmings, those tasty foods which are not essential for health and are packed with calories and then count your daily intake. You will look pretty and will feel well along with looking slimmer if you follow some sensible rules.

If you would like to have my calorie chart, send a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for leaflet No. 36 "Count Your Calories," to Josephine Lowman in care of this newspaper.

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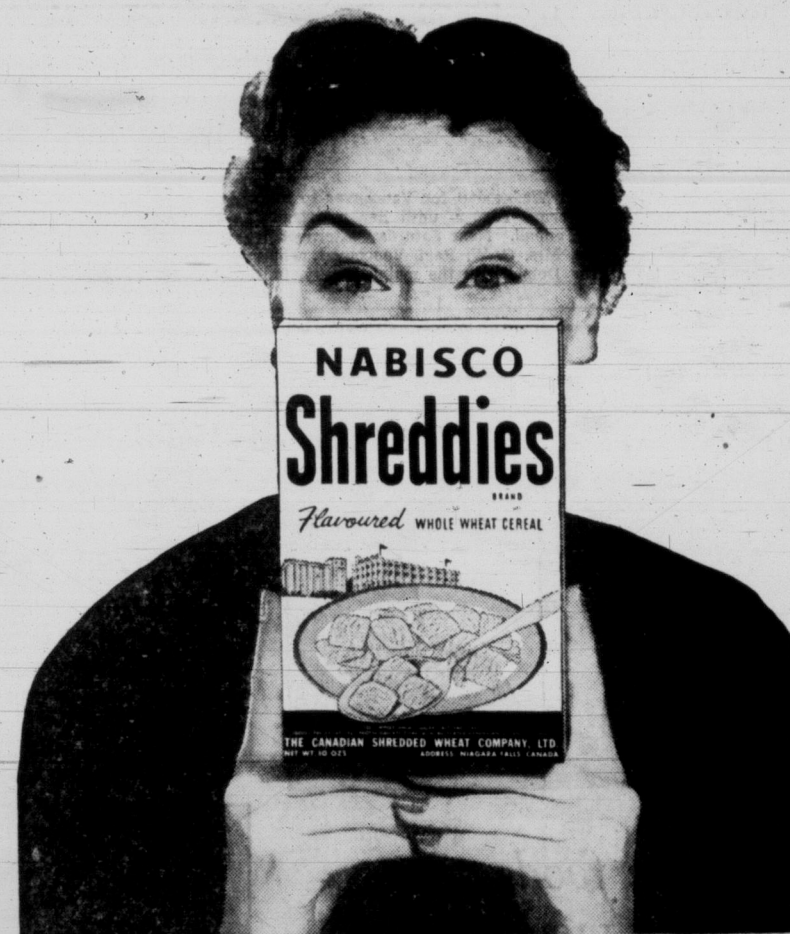
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Winch Tells Where He Got Bright Tie

OTTAWA (BUP) — Harold Winch (CCF-Vancouver East) told the Commons Wednesday night where he got the hand-painted necktie depicting a big red rose in full bloom that has been drawing comment from other members for the past fortnight.

It came from a prisoner in the British Columbia penitentiary, he said.

The tie, with the rose painted on a white background and worn with a cream-colored summer suit, has been the brightest spot in the Commons.

The Vancouver CCF member urged that efforts be made to sell prisoners' hobby products.

Carson indicated he would look into the plan.

NORTHERN FISH

The inconnu, a sort of white-fish found in the Mackenzie River basin sometimes reaches a weight of 40 pounds.

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Low Civil Service Pension Hike Advocated

Some As Low As \$20, \$30 Per Month Knowles Tells MPs

OTTAWA (CP)—Stanley Knowles (CCF, Winnipeg North Centre) Wednesday renewed his annual plea for aid to former government employees who retired years ago on low pensions.

He said in the Commons that there are far too many retired civil servants on pensions of \$20, \$30 or \$40 a month.

They had retired in years when their pay, on which pensions were based, was low. They had received no benefit from subsequent improvements in the Civil Service Superannuation Act.

"The situation is not anything of which the government as an employer can be proud," he said. The government should supplement the pensions.

The government had argued that their pensions are based on contractual arrangements and contributions.

GAVE INCREASES

Mr. Knowles, a printer by trade, said that his union, the International Typographical Union, has given recent increases under its pension plan to all members of the plan, regardless of what their original pension contract was.

Finance Minister Abbott replied that the government does not feel the pensions should be supplemented.

"We're dealing with taxpayers' money," he said. Many taxpayers did not receive automatic increases in pensions.

However, the universal old age pensions of \$40 a month benefitted most of the people to whom Mr. Knowles referred. Nearly all of them were more than 70.

NEW QUEEN'S PRINTER

WINNIPEG (BUP)—Raymond S. Evans of Morden, Man., publisher of the Morden Times, was appointed Queen's printer for Manitoba Wednesday.

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BAD WEATHER DRIVING THEM DOWN? Two Lynx Killed, Cougar Found in Calgary Limits

CALGARY (CP)—The appearance of a cougar and a pair of lynx inside the Calgary city limits within 24 hours gave weight today to a theory that bad weather in the mountains had made food foraging difficult and that the city might see more wild animals in the near future.

Two lynx have already been killed—one Tuesday night by two policemen and the other Wednesday noon by an armed 15-year-old boy.

Marilyn Collapses At Studio, Must Rest

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Marilyn Monroe was sent home to bed by a physician Wednesday after she collapsed on a movie set for the third time since the picture went into production four weeks ago.

A 20th Century-Fox spokesman said Dr. S. R. Kennamer ordered a three-day rest for the actress. He said she had been run down since an attack of flu 10 days ago.

CRASH KILLS 19
MEXICO CITY (AP)—A parachute rescue squad Wednesday night reached the wreckage of a Mexican air force transport and reported all 19 aboard dead. The plane crashed Saturday night north of Mexico City while carrying air force men and their families.

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Soviet Chess Team Victors In U.S. Match

NEW YORK (UP)—The crack Russian chess team clinched victory over United States Wednesday night in the first east-west chess tournament played on American soil.

The Russian masters compiled the necessary 16½ points to win the series at the end of two games of the final fourth round. Both the fourth round games were ties, giving the Russians the single point they needed for victory.

The draw games which gave the Russians victory Wednesday night were between Samuel Reshevsky of the United States and Russian Vasily Smyslov and American Robert Byrne and Russian Alexander Kotov.

The tournament was the first between the Russian and United States teams to be played on American soil. The Russians won two previous tournaments, however, one in Moscow and one conducted via trans-Atlantic cable.

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DOMINION—"The Living Desert" at 1.42, 3.43, 5.44, 7.45, 9.51.

FOX—"Niagara" at 6.50 and 9.00.

GEM—"Those Redheads From Seattle"

OAK BAY—"Dream Wife" at 7.11, 9.15.

ODEON—"King of the Kyber Rifles" at 1.01, 3.11, 5.11, 7.21, 9.31.

PLAZA—"Taxa, Son of Cochise," plus Marciano-Charles fight at 1.25, 3.25, 5.25, 7.25, 9.25.

ROYAL—"River Of No Return" at 1.16, 3.19, 5.28, 7.25, 9.33.

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Denmark Rejects U.S. Bid To Search Ships for Arms

COPENHAGEN, Denmark (UP)—Denmark will reject a United States request for permission to search Danish ships for possible shipments of arms to Guatemala, Foreign Minister H. C. Hansen said Wednesday night.

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SCROOGS-Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Scroogs, 913 Inverness Avenue, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on June 23, 1954.

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Plans and specifications will be on view at Builders' Exchanges in Nanaimo, Vancouver, Victoria, D.C.L. Vancouver Branch Office, and at the address below.

Each tender must be submitted on the forms prescribed and be accompanied by a security deposit as called for in the tender documents. Such deposit shall indemnify the owner against loss in the event of withdrawal of the successful tenderer subsequent to acceptance of the bid.

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J. D. Jenson, Secretary, No. 4 Temporary Building, 56 Leon Street, Ottawa, Ontario.

Anti-Reds' TV

Antics Held

Bad for U.S.

Televising of public hearings in the United States has "improved the position of the tattle-tail," Clarence L. Hulford, vice-president, National Bank of Commerce, Seattle, said here Wednesday.

He said also that as a result of the televised anti-Red hearings "I suspect we have not the best public relations."

There was confusion in the public mind, however, between the "antics of a committee" and the "actions of a court."

The U.S. banker and world traveler, addressing the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, spoke also on the general public relations picture and how it applied between North and South America. He said of the Guatemalan conflict that "hearts of most Latin Americans are with the fight of the Guatemalan to express his freedom."

He pointed out that trade between North and South America was more important than ever today — up from \$28 billion in 1945 to \$40 billion in 1952 — and any action of disharmony among continental neighbors was to be avoided.

MIDGETS' CLUB

LONDON (CP) — Twelve men and women have formed their own "midgets' club" here. None of the members is over four feet six inches in height.

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

TENDER FOR PRINTING DEBENTURES

SEALED TENDERS marked "Tender for Printing Debentures" are invited for printing a serial debenture issue of \$15,000 maturing from 1955 to 1974 inclusive, with interest coupons payable semi-annually. Further particulars and schedule of maturities may be obtained from the undersigned. Tenders to be received by the undersigned by 5 p.m. Monday, July 12th, 1954. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN R. THIRRE Municipal Clerk, Royal Oak P.O., V.I. B.C.

TAKE NOTICE

that the limited partnership carrying on business in Victoria as Belcher's Photography has been dissolved as of June 4th, 1954, and the business will hereafter be carried on by Clare Belcher.

(Signed) G. C. BELCHER.

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'ONE LITTLE OLD LAMP'

Sore-Arm Hurler

Blames Toronto

MIAMI (UP) — Alva Lee Holloman, who gained short-lived fame in the majors by pitching the American League's only no-hitter last season, blamed the Toronto International League team today for a sore arm that landed him in the Class A Florida International loop.

"I blame Toronto for not taking care of my arm when it first became sore this spring," the 28-year-old Holloman said. "They were supposed to send me to a doctor and didn't."

"They have no training room equipment or facilities... just one little old lamp with about a 10-watt bulb and a whirlpool," he said. "The president of the International League ought to investigate a Triple-A club having such a sorry situation."

Holloman came from out of nowhere on May 6, 1953, to hurl the St. Louis Browns to a 6 to 0 triumph over Philadelphia. He pitched a two-hit shutout over the Boston Red Sox later in the season, but was shipped to Toronto near the end of the campaign. His record with the Browns was three wins and seven losses.

After playing with Chattanooga of the Southern Association during the first part of this season, he was bought by the St. Petersburg Saints of the Florida International League.

Asked if he thought he could still pitch winning ball, Holloman said, "I dunno. I'll let you know after I go past six innings. If I do."

THEY EVEN CALLED THE UNDERTAKER

Given Up for Dead Twice, Celebrates 101st Birthday

VANCOUVER (CP) — John Edward Burns, now in his 102nd year, says "there is no pleasure and no profit in being old," but nevertheless had a wonderful time at his 101st birthday party.

A huge man with a booming voice, he could not attribute his long life to any one thing. "I lived a pretty clean life, but was no saint," he said with a twinkle in his eye.

Born June 11, 1853, on a farm near London, Ont., he married and raised a family of five boys and five girls. "He has lost track of the countless grandchildren."

He recalled that he had been given up for dead twice. The first time he suddenly sat up and asked two attendants: "What do you think you're doing?" He still chuckles at the look on their faces.

Another time his wife thought he had died and called the undertaker, but once more the report was premature. As he told of this, he turned to the matron of the rest home where he lives, and said: "Just make sure I'm and raise a family of five boys and five girls. 'He has lost track of the countless grandchildren.'"

Jobs, Immigration, Old Folk

Held Prime Social Problems

TORONTO (CP) — Unemployment, immigration and the needs of old people were three of the most important social problems which faced Canada last year, the annual report of the Canadian Welfare Association says.

R. E. G. Davis, executive director, who presented the report to the council's annual meeting Wednesday, said: "Our concern with unemployment must be not only to prepare for crisis but to prevent or at least minimize human suffering in 'normal' times."

Unconsidered decisions on immigration policy can affect the quantity and intensity of welfare problems among immigrants, he said. Constructive and energetic action should be taken to solve such problems as confused reception services for care of the immigration on arrival; inadequate provision for medical care or financial assistance during illness; ineligibility for family allowances until a year in Canada — except for children born in the country; and the threat of deportation on the grounds of having become a "public charge."

73 V.I. Lads to Earn \$100

At Vernon Army Cadet Camp

Seventy-three teen-age soldiers from Victoria and island centres will be among 900 from this province and Alberta to attend summer cadet trades training camp at Vernon July 5 to August 21.

In addition to enjoying seven weeks in the attractive camp setting on the borders of the Okanagan city, the boys in khaki will pocket \$100 each in bonus pay. They get \$20 for pocket money during their stay in camp and \$80 when camp breaks up.

Instructors at the camp will be from the army Regular and Militia forces and from the Cadet Services of Canada. Total strength at the camp, including civilians, will be around 1,300.

Army officials report the camp will be the largest single military concentration in B.C. this year. Eighty corps in the two provinces will be represented.

Corps of the Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's) and the IOF will provide 27 of the cadets for camp from Victoria. University School will furnish two and 5th

Area Signal Squadron will have seven boys attending. The Indian School at Alert Bay, on an island off Vancouver Island's northeastern coast, will send 10 youths to camp. Other Vancouver Island corps to be represented are: 62 A.T.K. Bn., Courtenay, six; 197 Bn., Alberni, eight; Qualicum College CC, three; and 198 Bn., CC, 10.

New Kootenay Lake Ferry

Christening

NELSON, B.C. (CP) — The new Kootenay Lake ferry Bal four, soon to join the Anscomb in the growing car traffic on the southern trans-provincial highway will be christened here Tuesday.

Mr. Wesley D. Black will sponsor the new ship. Attending the ceremony will be Works Minister P. A. Gagliardi, provincial secretary Wesley D. Black, and Education Minister W. F. Williston.

The ferry can carry 40 cars and 150 passengers. When she goes into service in early July, a 16-trip service will replace the present seven trips.

RACE RESULTS

HOLLYWOOD PARK

First Race — Hilt Spade (Hartman) \$18.50 \$10.50 \$7.50

Toussend (Volske) — 12.10 8.40

Paulin (Frank) (Lodge) — 8.40

Time — 1:45

Also: Colma, Lay Jo, Inman, Salmon, Peter, Radiofrequency, Free Roll, Carriage Trade II, Vex.

Second Race — Colonel Mack (Longden) \$12.40 \$10.40 \$10.40

Fair Mail (Trotter) — 15.40 12.80

Neardown (York) — 3.50

Time — 1:25

Also: Phil's Brother, Bow Jolie, Sheri, Soda, Nalgae, Honey, Albi, De, Sac, Asche, T. Bully Sue, Mirzman.

Third Race — O. V. Kid (Lummi) — \$6.80 \$3.60 \$3.10

Sea Bazooka (Sh-maker) — 3.80 2.10

Selma (Barton) — 14.40

Time — 1:11 1-5

Also: Flashing Light, Greg's Abby, Favorite, Dale, Second, Gloria, Mundi, Vic's Gal, Latchaway, Yari and Wile, Mr. Friar.

Fourth Race — Royal Rounder — \$17.40 \$8.00 \$10.10

Friendly Dog (Schuch) — 15.20 10.30

Pax (Belval) (Vermilion) — 6.10

Time — 1:45 1-5

Also: Minbrook, Whirlingsway, Rudy, arm, President, Holly Pale, American Fleet, Just Why.

Fifth Race — Royal Grace (Trotter) — \$6.50 \$3.20 \$2.80

Sanna Winds (York) — 2.80 2.50

Ever Bright (Lummi) — 4.20

Time — 1:09 4-5

Also: Love Factor, Lead Bye, Dina, Ban.

Sixth Race — Miss Oshaverry (Lummi) — \$16.80 \$8.10 \$3.90

Scotmans Bond (Vermilion) — 4.40 2.80

Position (Tanguchi) — 2.50

Time — 1:19 4-5

Also: High Intrepid, Kings, Haste, Simple, Trail, Alabaster, D. Hollow, Lad, Wild Rocket, Young, Buck, Ever, Alert.

Zoo Keepers

Try Sex Appeal

With Otters

VANCOUVER (BUP) — The old axiom, "never underestimate the power of a woman," also applies to a lady otter in Vancouver's Stanley Park Zoo.

Zoo officials are depending on her to do what they and an architect have failed to do.

Since last January the park zoo employees have been faced with the problem of keeping their otters before the public.

Despite the architect's designs for maximum staging in the new \$12,000 otter pond, and applied animal psychology by zoo attendants, the otters remain anti-social.

The first two furry underwater dwellers placed in the pond took advantage of a high centre-placed, abstract runway to leap from it over the fence and away to Vancouver Island, where they were originally caught.

Three more otters were brought to the pond. Zoo employees attempted to do what the famed psychologist Pavlov learned about conditioned reflexes. Pavlov rang a bell before a dog in the presence of food. The food resulted in salivary action on the part of the dog. The food was taken away and the bell was rung again. The dog salivated.

The zoo people put the otters in a special service yard. There they soon began to get accustomed to their keepers, who by now thought the otters had lost their fear of people.

The otters were put back into the pond for public view. But unlike Pavlov's dog, the otters weren't fooled. Placed in the pond they immediately disappeared into their holes when people arrived.

The otters were taken back to the service yard for a refresher course. But this also failed to show the desired results.

Recently a lady otter was brought to the pool, and apparently due to the greater exhibitionist tendency of the female of the species, she began to overcome shyness.

Zoo keeper Alan Best hopes the other otters will take their cue from her.

New Scout Group

Formed Up-Island

CAMPBELL RIVER

DR. R. RUSH SENTENCED TO 5 YEARS

Found Guilty
In Wife's Death

VANCOUVER (CP) — Dr. Raymond D. Rush was sentenced to five years' imprisonment by Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane here Wednesday for the manslaughter of his wife Margaret last November 10.

Dr. Rush was accused of failing to take proper steps to try and save his wife's life when she was seriously ill.

Leslie Parsons, Dr. Rush's counsel, said an appeal will probably be made.

Asked if he had anything to say before sentence was passed, Rush replied: "I think this verdict is the greatest miscarriage of justice which has ever taken place."

A coroner's inquest determined that Mrs. Rush, 38, died from acute ulcerated colitis aggravated by large doses of barbiturates.

His wife had no use for either doctors and refused to be X-rayed or go to hospital, Dr. Rush testified. He gave these as reasons for not sending her to hospital.

Rhododendron Needs Shade, Lots of Water

For good rhododendrons in the Victoria area, two thorough soakings a week are the minimum water requirement.

This was one of the points stressed by K. E. Christiansen when addressing the V.I. Association of Nurserymen and Allied Trades on the "High Lights of Rhododendrons."

Growing naturally where 60 inches of rainfall during the year and the air is always moist, they suffer considerably in our dry summers.

The most common causes of failure in the home garden are planting too deep and too loosely, no mulch to protect the roots which are always near the surface, and growing shade-loving kinds in full sunlight.

Another point stressed by Mr. Christiansen was that plants imported from Europe must be given the richest possible soil if they are to flower the year after planting. Straight rich compost was recommended, and it is essential, because the roots are so severely trimmed to reduce shipping weight. Such precaution does not apply to locally-grown stock because no root-trimming is done when the plants are dug. They become quickly established in the garden.

June meeting of the group, the last before the summer recess, will be held tonight at 8.30 in the Lake Hill W.I. Hall, Quadra Street and Lodge Ave. nue.

Colored slides of rock plants by Vern Ahlers, and of a trip through the southwest U.S. by Frank Julian, are the entertainment features, to be followed by the usual growers' get-together and refreshments.

St. Margaret Pupils Display Horsemanship

There was a good turnout at a horse show Wednesday at Victoria Riding and Hunt Club for St. Margaret's School pupils. Judge of the events was Mrs. Robert Shanks.

Here are the results: Junior riding: (1) Babs Carley, (2) Joan Bell, (3) Elizabeth Edgelow.

Senior jumping: (1) E. Stenner, (2) Dorothy Wilson, (3) Barbara Williams.

Junior jumping: (1) Dana Thompson, (2) Carol Turner, (3) Jean Dunbar.

Intermediate riding: (1) Linda McMaisters, (2) Dana Thompson, (3) Dorothy Edgelow, (4) Jean Dunbar.

Senior riding: (1) Barbara Williams, (2) Dale Spilsbury, (3) Dorothy Wilson.

PIGGY-BACK LANDING

SHAWNEE, OKLA. (AP) — Two light planes landed simultaneously—one on top of the other—at the Shawnee municipal airport Wednesday night. The pilots escaped with cuts and bruises. "If you ever had the world to drop in on you, you know how I felt," said H. E. Redding, pilot of the plane on bottom.

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Bright Business Future Seen By Insurance Chief

Capital investment in Canada in business and industrial expansion this year will likely top the 1953 record of \$5,600,000,000 by approximately \$200,000,000, Ernest G. Gill, Toronto, president of the Canada Life Assurance Co., said here today.

He said also that 1954 "will equal and may slightly exceed" 1953's gross national production of \$21,000,000,000. If this comes about, it would be the direct result of capital investment which was more than one-fifth of gross production. This "rapid" investment was higher than in the United States today, he said.

For these reasons he saw no indication of any recession on a Canadian-wide basis.

"This country is going ahead and the situation is very encouraging," he said.

SALES INCREASE

In the entire insurance business, sales this year were already three per cent ahead of last year. Canada Life business in force passed the \$2,000,000,000 mark in May. The 107-year-old company has doubled its business in the last seven years, the president said.

In British Columbia Canada Life now has \$10,000,000 in mortgage loans and "is expanding this lending by large additional amounts," he revealed.

The company's total investment in this province was more than the aggregate of premium collections, he said.

"We feel that B.C. is dedicated to the encouragement of private enterprise, and in that climate investment can be made safely."

Mr. Gill, who addressed a luncheon meeting of company representatives here Wednesday, has been with Canada Life since 1921. "My only job," he said, "is to make sure the organization's 40 branches across Canada. Next steps will be Edmonton and Saskatoon."

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5	Dining Room Suites consisting buffet, table and four chairs. Walnut finish.	215.00	179.00
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1	Country Modern Table in birch finish.	229.00	109.00
1	Country Modern Table in birch finish. Round shape.	142.00	99.00
1	Country Modern Buffet in birch finish.	189.00	129.00
1	Walnut Extension Table with jack-knife leaf.	119.00	69.00

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B.C. Fishermen May End Strike Sun. Midnight

New Price Scale
Subject of Vote

VANCOUVER (CP) — B.C.'s striking salmon fishermen will go back to work Sunday midnight if union locals approve an agreement reached Wednesday by a joint committee of canner operators and three unions.

Negotiations on prices for this year's salmon catch started April 30 and, with no progress made, about 6,000 fishermen struck last Saturday midnight.

Prices agreed-on are: Sockeye, 22 cents a pound; coho, 13 cents; pinkies, 7 1/2 cents; summer chums, 5 1/2 cents; fall chums, 6 1/2 to 8 cents a pound.

Fishermen will vote during the next two days to accept or reject the price scale.

Homer Stevens, United Fishermen and Allied Workers' Union secretary, said, "Our committee recommends the agreement with the idea of preventing any further dislocation in the industry."

18 Months in Jail For \$2,100 Theft On Union Funds

NELSON, B.C. (CP)—Richard Frederick Mattson of Trail found guilty of the theft of \$2,100 in union funds at the spring assizes here, was sentenced Wednesday to 18 months at Oakalla prison farm. However, if accommodation is available he will remain in the provincial jail here.

Mr. Justice J. V. Clyne heard a strong plea for leniency from defense counsel D. L. Brothers, who asked for a light sentence for the sake of Mattson's wife and their three children. The oldest child, 12, has rheumatic fever and a second child is showing symptoms of it, he said.

The money was taken from the United Brotherhood of Carpenters' and Miners' of America at Trail.

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STOLE CLOTHES FOR TROUSSEAU, JUDGE LENIENT

VANCOUVER (CP)—Marlene Thomson pleaded guilty in police court here Wednesday to the theft of \$469 worth of clothes from a store. But the law was lenient; Magistrate Oscar Orr suspended sentence on the 18-year-old girl and ordered to sign a \$100 bond to keep the peace for a year. The clothes were for Marlene's trousseau. She will be married shortly.

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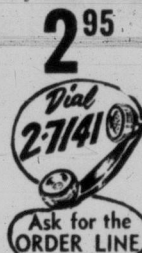
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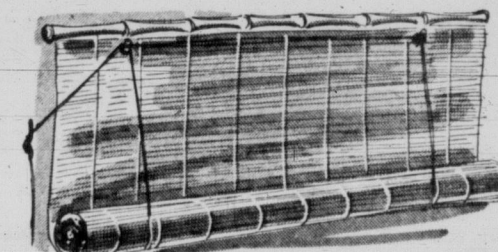
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'The Pleasure's All Mine...'

"Parting Is Such Sweet Sorrow" might be the theme of today's exodus from classrooms as Victoria's schools settle into peace and quiet for the summer respite from pencils, books, and dirty looks. Mrs. Margaret Martin of Lamson Street School shows no regret as she looks forward to more than two

months minus reading, writing, and rambunctious rascals. The rascals aren't shedding tears, either. But mothers throughout the city began marking days off the calendar, waiting for the magic date—Sept. 7—when school starts once more. (Times photo by Bill Halkett.)

Speedy Cease-Fire Promised by Reds

Mendes-France Reports to Assembly
On Indo-China Talks With Chou En Lai

PARIS (UP)—French Premier Pierre Mendes-France told the National Assembly today that Red China's Premier Chou En-Lai has promised a military settlement—the long-awaited cease-fire—in Indo-China as speedily as possible.

Mendes-France, who promised the nation peace in Indo-China by July 20 or his own resignation, won a thumping 433 to 23 vote of confidence from the assembly on the steps taken so far to make good his pledge.

The vote was taken on his request to postpone indefinitely questions on the composition of his cabinet to leave him free to concentrate on his end-of-the-war efforts.

The vote was 14 votes greater than he won on June 18 when he was approved by the assembly as the new leader of the French government.

Mendes-France reported on his meeting Wednesday in Bern, Switzerland, with the Communist premier and foreign minister.

"During the talks," he said, "we agreed to realize as rapidly as possible a settlement of the military problems."

Until now the Communist bloc in the Geneva Far Eastern conference had insisted on discussion of political matters, such as elections, before or at least simultaneously with a military cease-fire.

But the "do-it-now" premier assured the assembly that he

will not engage in "planetary" horse-trading—scuttling the European army plan to get an Indo-China peace.

"M. Bidault (foreign minister of the previous government) refused to practice this policy," Mendes-France said. "So why would you think I intend such a policy now?"

He also told the assembly that: 1. "Everyone" now agrees that Laos and Cambodia, the two smaller of Indo-China's three associated states, shall be independent.

2. His talks with Chou revealed the Chinese Communists recognize France's permanent position in the Far East.

3. He hopes to meet Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov next time the Russian is in Geneva.

4. Other meetings are intended with Chou. (Unconfirmed French press reports said this may be before July 12.)

Any such meeting would have to take place before July 20, since that is the date by which French Premier and Foreign Minister Pierre Mendes-France has said he will win a cease-fire or resign.

U.S. Would Erect Defense Line

WASHINGTON (UP)—The Administration's most optimistic hope in southeast Asia now

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Egan! Major Amos B. Hoople suggests a jolly Canterbury gallop over hill and dale while you are riding high during your vacation. And we suggest you have the Times mailed to you while you're away so you can keep in touch with all the comics. Phone 2-3131.

Sen. Walter F. George (D-Ga.), who attended a secret White House briefing on the Far East crisis Wednesday, said today that administration leaders left the impression they are hopeful a partition can be worked out with the Communists.

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Abbott's Successor?

Canada's next minister of finance is expected to be Hon. Walter Harris, present minister of citizenship and immigration, according to a dispatch received today from Victor Mackie, Times Ottawa correspondent. Sources close to the government say Prime Minister St. Laurent has settled on Mr. Harris as successor to Hon. Douglas Abbott. St. Laurent has already made it known he plans a major shuffle of portfolios this summer.

'Timing' Breaks Down Disarmament Talks

5-Power Parley on Prohibition of Atomic
Weapons Reported Wrecked Over Methods

LONDON (Reuters)—The recent five-power disarmament talks in London broke down on a clash of views between East and West on the timing of proposed prohibition of atomic weapons, according to conference documents made public today.

The United States, Britain, Canada, France and the Soviet Union attended the conference, which ended Tuesday after five futile weeks.

The Western powers rejected a basic Soviet plan for the prohibition of "atomic, hydrogen and other weapons of mass destruction" to take effect simultaneously with the setting up of an international control system, the documents on the hitherto-secret talks revealed.

FOR PEACEFUL USE

Russia rejected an Anglo-French plan for the introduction of total prohibition of atomic weapons by stages. Each stage, from cessation of expenditure on atomic weapons to cessation of production and conversion of stocks to peaceful use, would depend on actual steps taken to limit conventional types of armaments.

In the Anglo-French plan, stages in the prohibition of atomic weapons would also depend on firm progress being made in the functioning of the control organ which would enforce a general disarmament treaty.

A U.S. plan proposing that future disarmament and atomic development authority was also considered.

THREE OBJECTIVES

The Anglo-French plan, proposed as a compromise between the previous Soviet and Western positions and backed by the U.S. and Canada, had three objectives.

1. Eventual total prohibition of the manufacture and use of all atomic, chemical and bacteriological weapons of mass destruction, and, where pos-

\$31.8 Million Decline in Farm Income

OTTAWA (CP)—Wheat farmers were hit the hardest as farm cash income for all Canada dropped by \$31,800,000 in the first three months of 1954.

The bureau of statistics today estimated the first quarter income at \$504,311,000, down \$31,800,000 from the 1953 first quarter of \$536,150,000 and a drop of \$51,400,000 from the 1952 peak of \$555,700,000.

SIX PROVINCES

Six provinces—the Prairie, Ontario and the Maritimes—felt the decline, but by far the biggest drop was in Saskatchewan, heart of Canada's wheat belt, the bureau said.

Wheat was the big cause of the decline. Smaller deliveries by farmers because of congested storage, smaller marketings and lower prices cut farmers' cash income from the sale of wheat to \$49,700,000—less than half the \$112,800,000 received in the first quarter last year.

Canadians Defeated

WIMBLEDON, Eng. (AP)—Bob Bedard of Sherbrooke, Que., carried Australian star Lewis Hoad to four sets today before losing 6-3, 6-0, 1-6, 6-1 in the third round men's singles of the Wimbledon tennis championships.

The Soviet ambassador to Britain, Jacob Malik, leader of Russia's delegation, accepted these aims in principle, but refused to allow the control organ sufficient powers to assure the Western powers of its effectiveness.

2. Major reductions in all armed forces and conventional armaments.

3. Setting up of an international organ empowered to insure that these prohibitions and reductions were carried out.

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Striking City Men Make New Proposal

TAKE SCOTCH ALONG FOR VISIT TO VENUS

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP)—If and when any space navigators ever reach the planet Venus, they'd better be equipped with rowboats—because two Harvard astronomers today offered a new theory that "an ocean of water completely covers the planet."

But take heart, you would be space men. The astronomers said it may be an ocean of "carbonated" water—not too bad for a sociable scotch and soda as you pull on the oars.

"Because of the large amount of carbon dioxide in the Venusian atmosphere the ocean would probably consist of seltzer water, although I daresay it would be rather flat," Dr. Donald Menzel smilingly told a reporter.

Sir Winston, Eden Off to Washington

Conservatives and Opposition Back Couple
As They Leave for Important U.S. Talks

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill and Foreign Minister Anthony Eden left for Washington in the stratosphere "Canopus" at 6.52 p.m. (2.52 p.m., EDT) today to President Eisenhower and try to resolve British-American differences in world affairs.

By ALAN HARVEY

LONDON (CP)—The House of Commons has given Prime Minister Churchill and Foreign Secretary Eden a firm mandate for their important week-end talks in Washington.

Churchill and Eden, scheduled to leave for Washington tonight, both place great emphasis on what parliamentarians call the "feeling of the House." Wednesday night, in a Commons debate on Southeast Asia, there was no doubt what that feeling was.

Leaders of both opposition warmly applauded Eden's exposition of Britain's policy. Labor leader Clement Attlee and Liberal leader Clement Davies in effect said amen to the underlying theme of Eden's remarks—that the United States could make things easier by relaxing its present attitude toward Communist China.

Eden's speech was devoted to outlining the progress made at the Geneva conference on Korea and Indo-China. His chief new proposal was that in addition to a NATO-type organization for Southeast Asia there might also be a kind of Locarno pact for the area.

NO REAL PROGRESS

On Korea, Eden said "reluctantly" that no real progress had been made at Geneva toward bridging the gap between the conflicting sides.

On Indo-China, there still seemed a "chance" of agreement. He called the proposed Southeast Asia pact a future safeguard rather than a present panacea, thus again underlining the difference of approach between the U.S. and Britain on ways of meeting Communist infiltration in Asia.

"It should be clear to all," the foreign secretary said, "that the hopes of agreement will be jeopardized if active military operations in Indo-China were to be intensified while negotiations for an armistice are proceeding at Geneva."

EXPRESSED HOPE

Eden referred to the absence of normal diplomatic relations at Geneva, something which he said was unique in his experience. This was obviously a reference to the lack of contact between the Chinese and U.S. delegations at Geneva.

Eden acted as a kind of liaison man at Geneva. A Canadian delegate called him the "indispensable man" of the conference.

Newspapers of all political complexions today expressed hope that the Washington trip will smooth over differences and bring new accords with the U.S.

"The politicians on both sides of the Atlantic who believe that the alliance is expendable fly in the face of all the facts," declared The Times.

Lord Beaverbrook's Daily Express which usually supports the Conservative government, noted that Eden Wednesday did not once mention the name of State Secretary Dulles of the U.S. during his speech.

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By DAVE STOCK, City Hall Reporter

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NO DISCUSSION

None of those taking part would discuss what transpired except that Ald. Pinfold said the city comptroller was "working out figures" which he indicated, would be submitted to city council at a meeting this afternoon.

The council meeting was set to begin at 2.

Today marked the beginning of the second week of the strike by the city's 250 outside workmen. It has been estimated that the strike has cost the workmen and saved the city \$21,000 since it began Thursday of last week.

Ike Will Run

Again, Says Hall

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP)—Leonard Hall, Republican national committee chairman, said at a press conference Wednesday President Eisenhower "absolutely" will be a candidate for re-election in 1956.

Guatemala Protests to UN

Against Mass Bombing Threat

(From UP and AP Dispatches) UNITED NATIONS, NEW YORK — Guatemala told the United Nations today that the anti-Communist rebels have threatened mass bombings of Guatemalan cities within 24 hours and demanded an emergency meeting of the Security Council to deal with the situation.

The government, in telegrams addressed to all Security Council members, said "more than 45 cities and villages" already have been bombed and strafed by rebel planes.

"Guatemala lacks the means to repel such criminal attacks," the message said.

The demand for Security Council action said the clandestine rebel radio has warned that "within 24 hours massive air attacks with heavy bombs will be launched against Guatemala City and other towns."

The government description of the extent of the rebel attack came as a surprise following earlier official government claims that the rebel uprising had made little headway, was being crushed and has caused few if any casualties. (See story, page 2.)

The message was transmitted this morning to Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., U.S. delegate and council president for June. There was no immediate reaction from Lodge. The U.S. delegation said he was still considering the Guatemalan request.

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Death Ends Era

B.C.'s great old-time Conservative, R. Harry Pooley, died Wednesday night, aged 75. Esquimalt-born, he was Esquimalt MLA for 25 years and a former attorney-general. (See story, page 3.)

Flood Threat Endangers Brandon Area

WINNIPEG (CP)—The flood threat in Manitoba became more serious today with an announcement by Premier D. L. Campbell that the water level at Brandon is expected to rise another five feet before the end of the month.

"High flood crests on the upper Assiniboine River have now moved well into Manitoba," the premier said. He added that the river now appears to have passed its peak at Roblin, and has now reached high stages at Millwood and St. Lazare, points approximately 100 miles north of Brandon.

Dikes at Brandon are still holding, but an evacuation order to residents of low-lying areas of the city is expected shortly.

WIRE BRIEFS

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Crop Support Backed

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Weather:
Becoming Cloudy
Friday
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U.S. Ex-Red Must Leave Britain

LONDON (UP)—Britain today rejected a plea for "political asylum" by a young American doctor who admitted he once was a Communist and refused to return to the United States because he feared political persecution.

Home Secretary Sir David Maxwell Fyfe announced in the House of Commons that 25-year-old Dr. Joseph Cort will have to leave by June 30.

Cort had refused to return to the U.S. to report to his draft board, and the American Embassy took up his passport.

Saved Life Term By Technicality

REGINA (CP)—A technicality saved 43-year-old James P. Ryan from prosecution today on a charge of being an habitual criminal and an undetermined sentence that would mean a life in jail.

Ryan was convicted of stealing \$500 worth of furniture and sentenced to 18 months. Judge B. D. Hogarth dismissed the second count of being an habitual criminal because the notice served Ryan on the charge did not stipulate the kind of courts for previous convictions.

U.S. Cool to British Indo-China Plan

WASHINGTON (AP)—The U.S. state department gave a cool reception today to the British proposal, on the eve of Churchill-Eisenhower talks here, for a Locarno-type system of security guarantees for Red-threatened Southeast Asia.

War-torn Indo-China, according to the view of officials here, probably would be "neutralized" under the plan.

Security Council Meets on Guatemala

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP)—The UN Security Council has been called to meet Friday afternoon to deal with the Guatemalan situation. The meeting was summoned on the request of Guatemala, Brazil and Colombia.

\$31.8 Million Decline in Farm Income

OTTAWA (CP)—Wheat farmers were hit the hardest as farm cash income for all Canada dropped by \$31,800,000 in the first three months of 1954.

The bureau of statistics today estimated the first quarter income at \$504,311,000, down \$31,800,000 from the 1953 first quarter of \$536,150,000 and a drop of \$51,400,000 from the 1952 peak of \$555,700,000.

SIX PROVINCES

Six provinces—the Prairie, Ontario and the Maritimes—felt the decline, but by far the biggest drop was in Saskatchewan, heart of Canada's wheat belt, the bureau said.

Wheat was the big cause of the decline. Smaller deliveries by farmers because of congested storage, smaller marketings and lower prices cut farmers' cash income from the sale of wheat to \$19,700,000—less than half the \$112,800,000 received in the first quarter last year.

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RACE ENTRIES

HOLLYWOOD PARK

FIRST RACE—Mile and sixteenth:
Date At 1:13:13
Rival Count 118
Pace Star 118
Flashlight 112
Pacewood 113
Pacewood 113
Night Skies 118
Tilt 113
SECOND RACE—Mile and sixteenth:
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THIRD RACE—Mile and sixteenth:
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Glory 2:19
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CITY STRIKE SNAGGED ON LEGALITY ISSUE



'The Pleasure's All Mine...'

"Parting Is Such Sweet Sorrow" might be the theme of today's exodus from classrooms as Victoria's schools settle into peace and quiet for the summer respite from pencils, books, and dirty looks. Mrs. Margaret Martin of Lampson Street School shows no regret as she looks forward to more than two

months minus reading, writing, and rambunctious rascals. The rascals aren't shedding tears, either. But mothers throughout the city began marking days off the calendar, waiting for the magic date—Sept. 7—when school starts once more. (Times photo by Bill Halkett.)

Workers' New Offer Shelved

Mayor Tells Men To Go Back
Until Situation Is Clarified

City council this afternoon called for striking outside workers to return to work at their old rate of pay while steps are taken to determine the legality of their walk-out.

Council-empowered City Solicitor Arthur Patton "to take any steps necessary" to secure a determination of the legal aspect. This could mean going to court and fighting a legal battle.

WICKS REPLIES

The mayor notified council he had received word Wednesday afternoon from Labor Minister Lyle Wicks to the effect that the minister had no intention of referring the question to a supreme court judge, as he is authorized to do under the new labor act.

The mayor said he was "indeed surprised" by the minister's attitude.

The mayor and city solicitor both contend the outside workers' strike is illegal since it came four hours after the new provincial labor act was proclaimed on June 16.

The mayor cautioned aldermen that as long as the question of legality remained unanswered the council could not move one way or the other in the dispute. He said if council offered terms to the union and a taxpayer brought suit against the council, and proved the strike illegal, then the aldermen would be collectively and personally liable.

The mayor said it was in the interests of the strikers to have the legality question settled since they stood to lose more than the ratepayers.

He claimed that if the strike was found to be illegal the 250 workmen involved might have to forfeit superannuation and other long-service benefits. He suggested a special bill might be necessary to restore these rights to the strikers.

TERMS OF OFFER

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To Meet Premier

Thayer Lindsley, president of Frohisher Ltd., will be in Victoria July 26 for a conference with Premier W. A. C. Bennett and Lands Minister Sommers on the firm's plans for a \$700,000,000 development in the northwest corner of B.C. Frohisher envisions a hydro-electric and smelting empire in the isolated northern area, with a network of power dams feeding smelting and refining plants on Taku-Inlet.

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Up until 3 p.m. this offer had not been mentioned during this afternoon's council meeting which began at 2 o'clock.

SIR WINSTON, EDEN LEAVE FOR WASHINGTON

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill and Foreign Minister Anthony Eden left for Washington in the stratosphere "Canopus" at 6:52 p.m. (11:52 p.m., PDT) today to meet President Eisenhower and try to resolve British-American differences in world affairs.

'Timing' Breaks Down Disarmament Talks

5-Power Parley on Prohibition of Atomic Weapons Reported Wrecked Over Methods

LONDON (Reuters)—The recent five-power disarmament talks in London broke down on a clash of views between East and West on the timing of proposed prohibition of atomic weapons, according to conference documents made public today.

The United States, Britain, Canada, France and the Soviet Union attended the conference, which ended Tuesday after five futile weeks.

The Western powers rejected a basic Soviet plan for the prohibition of "atomic, hydrogen and other weapons of mass destruction" to take effect simultaneously with the setting up of an international control system, the documents on the hitherto-secret talks revealed.

FOR PEACEFUL USE

Russia rejected an Anglo-French plan for the introduction of total prohibition of atomic weapons by stages. Each stage, from cessation of expenditure on atomic weapons to cessation of production and conversion of stocks to peaceful use, would depend on actual steps taken to limit conventional types of armaments.

In the Anglo-French plan, stages in the prohibition of atomic weapons would also depend on firm progress being made in the functioning of the control organ which would enforce a general disarmament treaty.

A U.S. plan proposing that future disarmament and atomic development authority was also considered.

THREE OBJECTIVES

The Anglo-French plan, proposed as a compromise between the previous Soviet and Western positions and backed by the U.S. and Canada, had three objectives.

1. Eventual total prohibition

Speedy Cease-Fire Promised by Reds

Mendes-France Reports to Assembly
On Indo-China Talks With Chou En-Lai

PARIS (UP)—French Premier Pierre Mendes-France told the National Assembly today that Red China's Premier Chou En-Lai has promised a military settlement—the long-awaited cease-fire—in Indo-China as speedily as possible.

Mendes-France, who promised the nation peace in Indo-China by July 20 or his own resignation, won a thumping 433 to 23 vote of confidence from the assembly on the steps taken so far to make good his pledge.

The vote was taken on his request to postpone indefinitely questions on the composition of his cabinet to leave him free to concentrate on his end-the-war efforts.

The vote was 14 votes greater than he won on June 18 when he was approved by the assembly as the new leader of the French government.

Mendes-France reported on his meeting Wednesday in Bern, Switzerland, with the Communist premier and foreign minister.

"During the talks," he said, "we agreed to realize as rapidly as possible a settlement of the military problems."

Until now the Communist bloc in the Geneva Far Eastern conference had insisted on discussion of political matters, such as elections, before or at the same time as military matters.

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Vancouver Stocks

Trading was dull on this afternoon's session of the Vancouver stock exchange.

Late sales: 500 Hargal Oils 1.22; 3,000 National Exploration 56; 1,000 Beaver Lodge 50; 5,000 Hamill Lead 14 1/2; 500 Silver Standard 75; 1,000 Yankee Princess 44; 500 Estella 17; 50 MacMillan Bloedel B \$21 1/2; 100 Charter Oils 1.05; 500 A P Consolidated 30; 500 Pacific Nickel 48.

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OL' VIC SAYS

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Hope th' Swiss meetin' between th' French an' Chinese premiers won't turn out t' be a Dorn Bern Phu like th' Dien Bien one.

Pears there's a breath o' fresh air in th' garbage strike.

LIPSTICK-SMEARED TISSUE, BOBBY PIN

'Mystery Girl' Linked With Young Heir's Death

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